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Of The Town Of

STRATHAM

New Hampshire

For The Year Ending
December 31,
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of the

SELECTMEN, TOWN CLERK

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OF THE TOWN OF

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NEW HAMPSHIRE

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The Town Report of 1961

is dedicated to

WALTER A. SCAMMAN

in grateful recognition

of his Years of Service to the Town

SCHOOL BOARD 1925 - 1931

SELECTMAN 1933 - 1955

MODERATOR OF SCHOOL DISTRICT 1932 - 1960

TOWN OFFICERS

Supervisors of the Check List

Donald L. Barker
Olive Calef
Evelyn Barker

Moderator

G. Douglas Ross

Town Clerk

*Margaret Chapman

Tax Collector

*Ralph D. Parkman

Selectmen

*Robert T. Wiggin
John A. Hutton Jr.
*Burleigh Fernald (resigned)

Treasurer

*Leslie C. Scammon

Trustees of the Trust Funds

*Ralph D. Parkman
James I. Scamman
John A. Hutton Jr.

Library Trustees

Helen L. Gowen
Annie W. Scammon
John R. Gifford

Auditors
*Josephine Scamman
*Francis Wiggin

Highway Agent
*Robert T. Wiggin Jr.

Police Department
Forrest P. Wentworth Sr.
Richard G. Scamman
Robert S. Berry
Forrest P. Wentworth Jr.

Board of Health
Henry Saltonstall

Fire Chief
Robert T. Wiggin

Park Commission
Abner R. Marsh
George Brown
Henry Burke

Planning Board
James Peirce—1961 Nelson E. Barker—1962
Burleigh Fernald—1963 Christopher T. Rowe—1964
Frank Perkins—1965

Adjustment Board
Nelson E. Barker Richard Gallant
Richard G. Scamman Rudolph Bume
Folger Wentworth

Building Inspector
Robert S. Berry

* Term Expires

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Stratham in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Stratham Town Hall in said Stratham on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next, at eight of the clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to allow one percent discount on such property taxes as are paid by August 15th, or within 30 days from the day upon which the tax warrant is committed to the collector, whichever is later, the date to be printed on the tax bills.

4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred thirty four dollars and three cents ($234.03) against the State's fifteen hundred sixty dollars and twenty two cents ($1,560.22) for State Aid Construction.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) to gravel the west end of River Road and build a turn-

around and small parking area on the Town Landing at the end thereof.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) to install accoustical treatment on the ceiling and the walls of the Town Hall.

8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning and Land Use Ordinance, adopted at the annual town meeting June 10, 1959 and as it may have been amended by subsequent town meetings, as follows:

(A) To amend Article II by omitting after "agricultural", the word "commercial", and by adding after "industrial district", the words "commercial district", so that it will then read:

1. Residential-Agricultural District
2. Industrial District 3. Commercial District

(B) To amend Article IV, the name of the district, by omitting after the word "agricultural", the word "commercial", so that the title will read: Residential, Agricultural District.

(C) To revise Article V, Section A, by omitting after the word "Agricultural", the word "commercial" so that it reads "Residential, Agricultural District".

(D) To revise Article VI, Section A, paragraph 1, by omitting in two places after the word "Agricultural" the word "commercial" so that it reads "Residential, Agricultural District".

(E) By adding after Article IV, Article IVa and the following new section to read as follows: Article IVa. Commercial District. (a) A building may be erected, altered or used and a lot may be used or occupied as provided for under Article IV within the

Commercial District and may be used for commercial uses that meet the following requirements: 1. The building be located at least sixty (60) feet from the edge on any right of way and not less than twenty (20) feet from each boundary of the lot. 2. Provide adequate parking facilities to accomodate (a) freight and delivery trucks, (b) employee parking, (c) vehicles of business invitees. 3. Shall conform to all the sanitary provisions of Artcile III, Section F.

(F) By adding after Article XIV, sub-paragraph H, the following new paragraph entitled "I": 1. Commercial Uses. A commercial use shall include wholesale or retail trade, restaurants, hotels, or motels, gasoline stations or office buildings.

(G) To amend Article IX by omitting the word "commercial" in Paragraphs B and C so that it reads: Residential-Agricultural District and by striking out sub-paragraph 3 and by adding in place thereof: 3. Shall conform to all the sanitary provisions of this ordinance Article III Section F.

(H) To revise the Stratham Zoning Map so as to show the new commercial zone which shall be a shaded area more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Exeter line at Portsmouth Avenue; thence running notherly along Portsmouth Avenue to a point five hundred and fifty (550) feet from the center line of Bunker Hill Avenue on the easterly side of Portsmouth Avenue and to a projection of the center line of Bunker Hill Avenue on the westerly side of Portsmouth Avenue, to carry a depth easterly and westerly of the center line of Portsmouth Avenue of four hundred (400) feet and the easterly and westerly bound of this district to be parallel with the center line of Route 101 at all points. Also a commercial zone starting at the junction of Winnicut Road

with Portsmouth Avenue and thence running in a westerly and southerly direction along Portsmouth Avenue, to the Southerly point of the Circle and said Commercial District to have a depth on each side of the center line of Portsmouth Avenue and the Circle of four hundred (400) feet.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000.00) to revalue the Town.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy five dollars ($75.00) to install and maintain street lights at the Community Church.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

(The polls will be open from 10:00 A.M. to 6 P.M. at the Lower Town Hall to elect Town Officers. The discussion and action on the articles in the Warrant at 8:00 P.M. in the Upper Town Hall.)

Given under our hands and seal this twenty fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty one.

ROBERT T. WIGGIN,

JOHN A. HUTTON JR.,

Selectmen of Stratham

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROBERT T. WIGGIN,

JOHN A. HUTTON JR.,

Selectmen of Stratham

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF STRATHAM

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 3,881.41	$ 3,985.23	$ 3,985.23
Railroad Tax	27.98	6.93	6.93
Savings Bank Tax	173.29	101.71	101.71
Reimb. a/c State Head Tax		26.21	
Reimb. a/c Old Age Asst.		1,175.00	
From Local Sources Except Taxes.			
Dog Licenses	400.00	344.50	350.00
Bus. Lic., Permits & Filing Fees	10.00	11.00	5.00
Checklist		1.00	
Rent of Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	69.00	110.00	100.00
Int. Received on Taxes & Deposits	500.00	647.83	650.00
Income from Trust Funds	745.00	12.00	1,000.00
Income from Departments:			
Highway, inc. rental of equipment	200.00	316.86	200.00
Parks		276.53	
Recovery Town Welfare		2,526.50	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,100.00	6,598.31	6,500.00
Sale of Town Property —			
Cemetery Lots		80.00	120.00
Insurance Adjustment		37.53	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
Anticipation of Taxes		15,000.00	
T.R.A.		9,300.00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2	600.00	786.00	600.00
Yield Taxes — 1959 Levy	100.00	463.89	700.00
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	**$12,806.68**	**$41,807.03**	**$13,318.87**
Amount To Be Raised By Prop. Taxes			**$122,975.82**
TOTAL REVENUES			**$136,294.69**

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Approp. Previous Year 1960	Actual Expend. Previous Year 1960	Estimated Expend. Ensuing Year 1961
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 3,000.00	$ 3,106.92	$ 3,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00	1,090.19	1,200.00
Election & Registration Expenses	300.00	334.00	75.00
Exp. Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	1,000.00	1,113.00	1,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	500.00	452.15	500.00
Fire Department	700.00	660.13	700.00
Insurance	750.00	987.90	750.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	300.00	387.50	300.00
Health:			
Vital Statistics	35.00	49.90	35.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	600.00	703.00	700.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	4,500.00	4,296.78	4,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	4,000.00	5,343.14	4,000.00
Street Lighting	600.00	593.04	600.00
Libraries	400.00	463.82	400.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	1,000.00	3,343.62	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	800.00	933.75	800.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day & Vet. Asso.	85.00	83.00	85.00
Recreation:			
Parks & Playground, Incl. Ban Con.	125.00	80.21	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00	100.00
Adver. & Regional Associations	100.00	100.00	100.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	135.00	69.80	75.00
On Long Term Notes & Bonds	350.00	122.84	350.00
Highways and Bridges:			
State Aid Constr.—Town's Share		9,300.00	
Spec. App.—Library	1,000.00	940.02	
Spec. App.—T. Hall Chairs	500.00	486.00	
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Temporary Loan		15,000.00	
Long Term Notes	2,000.00		2,000.00
County Taxes	4,988.99	4,760.00	4,760.65
School Taxes	81,820.35	79,372.16	109,164.04
Total Expenditures	**$110,689.34**	**$134,273.52**	**$136,294.69**

REPORT OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

Town Officers' Salaries	$3,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,200.00
Election and Registration	75.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,000.00
Police Department	500.00
Fire Department	700.00
Insurance	750.00
Vital Statistics	35.00
Summer Roads	4,500.00
Winter Roads	4,000.00
Town Dump	700.00
Library	400.00
Town Welfare	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	800.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Legal Expenses and Dog Damage	300.00
Seacoast Regional	100.00
Street Lights	600.00
Parks and Playgrounds	100.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	75.00
Interest on Long Term Loans	350.00
Memorial Day	85.00
County Tax	4,760.65
Payment on Long Term Notes	2,000.00
	$27,130.65

Walter A. Scamman — Burleigh Fernald

Pauline F. Scammon — James Scamman

Robert T. Wiggin — Leo H. Senechal

John A. Hutton, Jr.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings	$1,359,730.00
Mill Property, Land and Machinery	5,100.00
Electric Plants	147,200.00
Petroleum and Gas Transmission Lines	26,000.00
Stock in Trade	28,500.00
Boats and Launches, 8	2,500.00
Horses, Asses and Mules, 57	4,850.00
Cows, 349	26,175.00
Other Neat Stock, 24	1,200.00
Sheep and Goats, 20	200.00
Fowls, 7,600	2,280.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	600.00
Road Building, Stone Crushers, Derricks and Construction Mach.	5,500.00
Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	$1,609,835.00
Less: Vet. Exemp. & Exemp. to Blind	66,000.00
Net Val. on which tax rate is computed	$1,543,835.00

ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITY COMPANIES

Exeter & Hampton	$48,200.00	
N. H. Electric Co.	25,000.00	
Public Service Co.	74,000.00	
		$147,200.00
Granite State Trans.		$26,000.00
Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans		$65,000.00
Amount of property valuation exempted to blind		$1,000.00

Number of inventories distributed	400
Number of inventories returned	300
Number of veterans who received property exemption	65

ROBERT T. WIGGIN

JOHN A. HUTTON, JR.

Selectmen of Stratham

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

For the Year 1960

Appropriations:		
Town Officers' Salaries	$3,000.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00	
Election and Registration Ex.	300.00	
Town Hall and Building Maint.	1,000.00	
Police Department	500.00	
Fire Department	700.00	
Insurance	750.00	
Vital Statistics	35.00	
Dump and Garbage Collection	600.00	
Town Maintenance	9,500.00	
Street Lighting	600.00	
Library	400.00	
Old Age Assistance	800.00	
Public Relief	1,000.00	
Memorial Day	85.00	
Parks and Playgrounds	125.00	
Cemeteries	100.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses	300.00	
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	100.00	
State Aid Construction	235.14	
Library (building)	1,200.00	
Library (grounds)	1,000.00	
Town Hall Chairs	500.00	
Payment on Debt	2,485.00	
Total Town Appropriations		$26,315.14
County Tax		4,760.65
School Tax		81,820.35
Total Town, County and School Approp.		$112,896.14
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		

Interest on Taxes	$ 504.65	
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,985.23	
Railroad Tax	7.00	
Savings Bank Tax	101.71	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	700.00	
Dog Licenses	400.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	10.00	
Rent of Town Property	69.00	
Income from Trust Funds	745.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,100.00	
Total Revenues and Credits		$12,622.59
		$100,273.55
Plus Overlay		873.73
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		$101,147.28
Less:		
399 Poll taxes at $2.00	$798.00	
Amount to be raised by property taxes		$100,349.28
Taxes to be committed to collector		
Property taxes	$100,349.28	
Poll Taxes at $2.00	798.00	
Total taxes to be committed		$101,147.28

Tax Rate $6.50 per $100.00

ROBERT T. WIGGIN,

JOHN A. HUTTON, JR.,

Selectmen of Stratham

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF STRATHAM

in

Rockingham County

for the

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1960

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ROBERT T. WIGGIN,
JOHN A. HUTTON JR.,
BURLEIGH FERNALD,
Selectmen

LESLIE C. SCAMMON,
Treasurer

January 30, 1961

Town of Stratham

	BALANCE
ASSETS	
Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	$42,203.61
Unredeemed taxes:	
Levy of 1959	1,380.79
Levy of 1958	633.66
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1960	22,003.07
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1960	600.00
Total Assets	$66,821.13
Grand Total	$66,821.13

Net Surplus, Dec. 31, 1959	$5,657.86
Net Surplus, Dec. 31, 1960	4,807.80
Decrease of Surplus	850.06

December 31, 1960

SHEET

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Library (Grounds)		$ 59.98
Library (Interior)		1,200.00

Due to State:

State Head Taxes—1960		
Uncollected	$600.00	
Coll.—not remitted to State Treas.	33.00	
		633.00

Due to School Districts:

Balance of Appropriation		46,820.35

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Fire Truck	$4,000.00	
T. R. A.	9,000.00	
		$13,300.00
Total Liabilities		$62,013.33
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		4,807.80
Grand Total		$66,821.13

Town of Stratham

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Prop. Taxes—Cur. Year—1960	$82,375.91	
Poll Taxes—Cur. Year—1960	606.00	
State Head Taxes @ $5—1960	1,945.00	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		$84,926.91
Prop. Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years		22,591.49
Poll Taxes— Previous Years		180.00
State Head Taxes @ $5—Prev. Years		575.00
Interest received on Taxes		647.83
Penalties on State Head Taxes		60.50
Tax Sales redeemed		1,132.89

From State:

For Highways and Bridges For Town Road Aid	1,006.05
Interest and dividends tax	3,985.23
Railroad Tax	6.93
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	101.71
Reimbursement—State Head Tax	26.21
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	1,175.00

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	344.50
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	11.00

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 1960

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
Town officers' salaries		$3,106.92
Town officers' expenses		1,090.19
Election and registration expenses		334.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings		1,113.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department		452.15
Fire department, including forest fires		660.13
Insurance		987.90
Health:		
Vital statistics		49.90
Town dumps and garbage removal		703.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance		
Summer	$4,296.78	
Winter	5,343.14	
		9,639.92
Street lighting		593.04
Libraries:		
Libraries		463.82
Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance		933.75
Town poor		3,343.62

RECEIPTS — Concluded

Checklist		1.00
Rent of town property		110.00
Recovery Town Welfare		2,526.50
Income from trust funds (Library)		12.00
Income from departments—Highway		316.86
Income from parks		276.53
Registration of motor vehicles		6,598.31
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$126,612.45
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	$15,000.00	
Long term notes during year	9,300.00	
Insurance adjustments	37.53	
Sale of town property—cemetery lots	80.00	
Total Receipts other than Cur. Rev.		$24,417.53
Total Receipts from All Sources		$151,029.98
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1960		29,479.69
Grand Total		$180,509.67

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Vet. Assoc.	83.00	
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	80.21	
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	100.00	
Unclassified:		
Damages and legal expenses	387.50	
Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00	
Taxes bought by town	1,529.02	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	108.02	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$25,859.09
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	69.80	
Paid on long term notes	122.84	
Total Interest Payments		192.64
Outlay for New Construction, Equip. & Perm. Improvements:		
Highways and Bridges— State aid construction	9,300.00	
Spec. Library Approp.	940.02	
Spec. Town Hall Chairs	486.00	
Total Outlay Payments		$10,726.02

PAYMENTS — Concluded

Indebtedness:			
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		15,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments			15,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:			
State Head Taxes Paid State Treas.		2,395.50	
Taxes paid to County		4,760.65	
Payments to School Districts			
1959 Tax	$44,372.16		
1960 Tax	35,000.00		
		79,372.16	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions			86,528.31
Total Payments for all Purposes			$138,306.06
Cash on hand December 31, 1960			42,203.61
Grand Total			$180,509.67

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$20,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	800.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	20,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Police Department, Equipment	100.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	10,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	100,000.00
Equipment	3,500.00
Total	$189,900.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Tot. Amt. Available	Expend.	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 3,000.00	$	$ 3,000.00	$ 3,106.92	$	$ 106.92
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00	1.00	1,001.00	1,090.19		89.19
Election and Registration	300.00		300.00	334.00		34.00
Town Hall	1,000.00	110.00	1,110.00	1,113.00		3.00
Police Department	500.00		500.00	452.15	47.85	
Fire Department	700.00		700.00	660.13	39.87	
Insurance	750.00	37.53	787.53	987.90		200.37
Vital Statistics	35.00		35.00	49.90		14.90
Summer Roads	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,296.78	203.22	
Winter Roads	4,000.00	316.86	4,316.86	5,343.14		1,026.28
Town Dump	600.00		600.00	703.00		103.00
Library	400.00	12.00	412.00	463.82		51.82
Town Welfare	1,000.00	2,526.50	3,526.50	3,343.62	182.88	
Old Age Assistance	800.00	1,175.00	1,975.00	933.75	1,041.25	
Cemeteries	100.00	80.00	180.00	100.00	80.00	
Legal Expenses & Dog Damage	300.00		300.00	387.50		87.50
Seacoast Regional	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Street Lights	600.00		600.00	593.04	6.96	
Parks	125.00	276.53	401.53	80.21	321.32	
Interest on Temporary Loans	135.00		135.00	69.80	65.20	
Interest on Long Term Loans	350.00		350.00	122.84	227.16	
Memorial Day	85.00		85.00	83.00	2.00	
County Tax	4,988.99		4,988.99	4,760.65	228.34	
Payment on Long Term Notes	2,000.00		2,000.00		2,000.00	
Town Hall Chairs	500.00		500.00	486.00	14.00	
Library & Firehouse Grounds	1,000.00		1,000.00	940.02	59.98	
Library Repairs	1,200.00		1,200.00		1,200.00	
T.R.A.	9,300.00		9,300.00	9,300.00		
TOTALS	**$39,368.99**	**$4,535.42**	**$43,904.41**	**$39,901.36**	**$5,720.03**	**$1,716.98**
					1,716.98	
Net Balance of Appropriations					**$4,003.05**	

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
AND AUDITORS' DISCHARGE

We have examined the accounts of Margaret Chapman, town clerk. In regard to auto permits and serial numbers and accounts were found correct. We found she collected $6,440.72 for 1960 permits plus $26.16 for 1959 permits. Dog licenses were checked and found correct. Amount collected, $344.50. Total amount paid treasurer, $6,822.38 for which she has receipts.

JOSEPHINE SCAMMAN,

FRANCIS WIGGIN,

Auditors

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

SUMMARY OF 1960 WARRANTS COMBINED

DR.

Taxes committed to Collector:			
Property taxes	$104,625.01		
Poll taxes	798.00		
		$105,423.01	
Added poll taxes:		8.00	
Interest collected on property taxes	12.46		
Penalties collected on polls	.80		
		13.26	
Total debits			$105,444.27

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property taxes	$82,375.91		
Poll taxes	606.00		
Int. & penalties	13.26		
		$82,995.17	
Discounts allowed		438.03	
Poll taxes abated		8.00	
Uncollected taxes as per list:			
Property taxes	21,811.07		
Poll taxes	192.00		
		22,033.07	
Total credits			$105,444.27

SUMMARY OF 1959 TAX WARRANTS COMBINED

DR.

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960:		
Property taxes	$22,961.30	
Poll taxes	172.00	
		$23,133.30
Added taxes:		
Yield taxes	463.89	
Poll taxes	22.00	
		485.89
Interested collected during year:		
On property taxes	603.05	
On poll taxes	3.03	
		606.08
Penalties collected on polls		18.20
Total debits		$24,243.47

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property taxes	$21,881.00	
Poll taxes	180.00	
Yield taxes	463.89	
Interest on all taxes	606.08	
Penalties on poll taxes	18.20	
		$23,149.17
Taxes abated by Selectmen:		
Personal property taxes	1,080.30	
Poll taxes	14.00	
		1,094.30
Total credits		$24,243.47

SUMMARY OF 1958 TAXES

DR.

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960:		
Personal property taxes	$314.60	
Interest collecte dduring year	10.29	
Total debits		$324.89
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Personal property taxes	246.60	
Interest	10.29	
	256.89	
Abated by Selectmen	68.00	
Total credits		$324.89

SUMMARY OF HEAD TAX WARRANTS LEVY OF 1960

DR.

Head taxes committed to Collector	$2,515.00	
Added head taxes	45.00	
Penalties collected	3.00	
Total Debits		$2,563.00

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head taxes	1,945.00	
Penalties	3.00	
		1,948.00
Abatements by Selectmen		15.00
Uncollected as per list		600.00
Total Credits		$2,563.00

LEVY OF 1959

DR.

Uncollected head taxes		
Jan. 1, 1960	$555.00	
Added 1959 head taxes	55.00	
Penalties collected during year	57.50	
Total Debits		$667.50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head taxes	$575.00	
Penalties	57.50	
		632.50
Abated by Selectmen		35.00
Total Credits		$667.50

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1960

DR.

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
	1959	1958	1957
Taxes sold to Town during current fiscal year	$1,529.02		
Bal. of unredeemed taxes Jan. 1, 1960		$1,186.68	$333.10
Int. coll. after sale	1.98	39.76	52.78
Redemption costs	2.34	1.50	3.68
Total debits	$1,533.34	$1,227.94	$389.56

CR.

Remittances to Treas. during year	$151.55	$592.78	$388.56
Redemption fees	1.00	1.50	1.00
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	1,380.79	633.66	
Total Credits	$1,533.34	$1,227.94	$389.56

Respectfully submitted

RALPH D. PARKMAN,
Collector

AUDITORS' STATEMENT

January 28, 1961

We have this day completed the audit of the books and accounts of Ralph D. Parkman, Collector of Taxes, for the fiscal year 1960, and find them correctly cast, properly vouched, and in order. We have also verified the amount of all uncollected taxes as of December 31, 1960 by mailing returnable notices to all taxpayers whose taxes were then unpaid.

JOSEPH SCAMMAN,

FRANCIS WIGGIN,
Town Auditors

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand, January 1, 1960		$29,479.69
Received from:		
Ralph D. Parkman, Collector		
1960 Property Tax	$82,388.37	
1960 Poll Tax	606.80	
1960 Head Taxes	1,948.00	
1959 Property Tax	22,484.05	
1959 Yield Tax	463.89	
1959 Poll Tax	201.23	
1959 Head Tax	632.50	
1958 Personal Prop. Tax	256.89	
Redemption Tax Sales	1,132.89	
		$110,114.62
Margaret Chapman, Town Clerk		
Auto Permits	$6,466.88	
Auto Permits (1961)	131.43	
Dog Licenses	344.50	
Filing Fees	11.00	
		$6,953.81
Donald Barker, Janitor		
Rent of Hall	$110.00	
		$110.00
State of N. H.		
Railroad Tax	$ 6.93	
Reimbursement Head Tax	26.21	
Recovery State Aid	1,175.00	
State T.R.A.	1,006.05	
Dividend and Interest	3,985.23	
Savings Bank Tax	101.71	
		$6,301.13

Miscellaneous		
Recovery Town Poor	$2,526.50	
Bell and Flynn	294.04	
Use of Grader	10.00	
Eastern States Farmer's Ex.	12.82	
Insurance Premium Returned	37.53	
Cemetery Lot Sales	80.00	
Lumber from Hill	255.53	
Use of Hill (U. S. Gov.)	1.00	
Library Funds	12.00	
Unity Club, Christmas tree	20.00	
Notes	24,300.00	
Sale of Checklist	1.00	
		$27,550.42
Total		$180,509.67
Paid on Selectmen's order		138,306.06
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1960		$42,203.61

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation	$3,000.00	
Overdraft	106.92	
		$3,106.92
Margaret Chapman, Town Clerk	$ 464.50	
Francis Wiggin, Auditor	30.00	
Richard Wiggin, Auditor	30.00	
Leslie C. Scammon, Treasurer	200.00	
Ralph D. Parkman, Tax Collector	1,432.42	
Robert T. Wiggin, Selectman	400.00	
John A. Hutton Jr., Overseer Welfare	50.00	
John A. Hutton Jr., Selectman	250.00	
Burleigh Fernald, Selectman	250.00	
		$3,106.92

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation	$1,000.00	
Income	1.00	
Overdraft	89.19	
		$1,090.19
N. H. Planning and Dev. Comm.	$ 2.15	
State of N. H. Mobile Homes Report	2.00	
Town Clerk's Assoc., dues	3.00	
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors, dues	3.00	
N. H. Tax Collector's Assoc., dues	3.00	
Evans Printing Co., zoning maps	4.20	
C. M. Rice Paper Co., planning board	22.33	
State of N. H. Tax Law Books	5.25	

Frank W. Tuck, envelopes	49.60	
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	67.59	
Exeter News Letter, notices	27.75	
Trustee of Trust Funds	3.42	
Portsmouth Herald, notices	37.45	
Batchelder's Bookstore, supplies	5.94	
Hampton Publishing Company, town reports, etc.	496.10	
Charlotte M. Hutton, typing, copying	86.10	
Dot's Flower Shop	10.00	
John W. A. Greene	25.20	
Edward H. Quimby Co. Inc., typewriter repair	11.25	
Rockingham National Bank, safety dep. box	5.50	
Wheeler and Clark, supplies	36.11	
Ralph D. Parkman, postage	67.27	
Richard Wiggin, postage	5.24	
Sargent Brothers, supplies	32.34	
John A. Hutton Jr.	21.45	
Robert T. Wiggin	55.50	
Burleigh Fernald	1.25	
		$1,090.19

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

Appropriation	$1,000.00	
Income	110.00	
Overdraft	3.00	
		$1,113.00
Exeter and Hampton Electric Co.	$196.16	
H & H Oil	193.63	
Lamprey Brothers, oil	53.75	
Donald Barker, janitor	180.00	
Bob's Electric Service	182.25	

Stratham Grocery, supplies	2.88	
Stratham Hardware	117.34	
J. H. Morgan, plumber	14.97	
Francis Hanley, labor	8.00	
Wentworth Lumber	11.96	
Robert T. Wiggin, labor	73.46	
John A. Hutton Jr., labor	5.25	
Fred Garland, oil burner service	12.50	
P. J. Coakley	53.35	
Joseph P. LeClair	7.50	
		$1,113.00

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation	$300.00	
Overdraft	34.00	
		$334.00
G. Douglas Rsss, moderator	$40.00	
Olive Calef, sup. of checklist	30.00	
Donald Barker, sup. of checklist	30.00	
Evelyn Barker, sup. of checklist	30.00	
Charles Peabody, ballot clerk	30.00	
Gladys Chapman, ballot clerk	30.00	
Bertha Parks, ballot clerk	30.00	
Gertrude Marston, ballot clerk	30.00	
Portsmouth Herald, notice	9.00	
Stratham P.T.A., meals	25.00	
S.V.F.D. Ladies Aux., meals	50.00	
		$344.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	$500.00	
Balance	47.85	
		$452.15
Forrest Wentworth, Sr.	$398.65	

Allied Marking Device Co., badges	28.75	
Wentworth Motor Co.	24.75	
		$452.15

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	$700.00	
Balance	39.87	
		$660.13
H & H Oil	$118.25	
Lamprey Brothers, oil	28.13	
Fred Hutton, mowing lawn	39.00	
Scott Pontiac, repairs	13.60	
Ralph Scamman, repairs	50.60	
Auto Electric Service	16.80	
Exeter Hampton Electric Co.	108.00	
Maynard Fire Apparatus	8.85	
Weston Emergency Light	24.00	
Stratham Grocery	90.86	
Leonard Goldman	9.22	
Bob's Electric Service	11.82	
Waldo Butterfield, hose	140.00	
Perley Well, insp.	1.00	
		$660.13

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

WINTER ROADS

Appropriation	$4,000.00	
Income	316.86	
Overdraft	1,026.28	
		$5,343.14
Exeter Hampton Electric Co.	$ 18.98	
Ross Express	3.20	
Stratham Hardware	5.58	

Callahan Oil Co.	6.50	
Field Machinery Co.	18.83	
H & H Oil	124.97	
Stratham Grocery	22.60	
Patterson Ford Sales	4.97	
R. C. Hazelton	20.95	
White's Welding	129.20	
Auto Electric	6.02	
Mingolla Mach. Co., grader parts	55.66	
Iafolla Crushed Stone	67.20	
W. A. Scamman and Son, salt	160.80	
Merrimac Farmers	326.00	
Goodwin Feed and Supply	261.04	
Peirce Construction Co.	839.25	
Bell and Flynn	456.62	
Albert Stevens	163.00	
Stanley French, labor	20.25	
John A. Hutton Jr., labor	6.13	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr., labor	62.12	
Walter Witham, labor	81.68	
Robert T. Wiggin, labor	$ 289.74	
David Noyes, labor	87.08	
Frank Eldredge, labor	89.44	
Francis Hanley	20.13	
Richard Gendron	1.00	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr., agent	1,864.20	
		$5,343.14

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

SUMMER ROADS

Appropriation	$4,500.00	
Balance	203.22	
		$4,296.78
Robert T. Wiggin Jr., agent	$4,006.08	

Iafolla Crushed Stone	73.20	
Robert T. Wiggin	90.45	
Thomas Nelson	32.40	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr.	41.50	
Miles Tree Service	30.00	
Stratham Hardware	16.74	
Wentworth Motor Co.	.50	
Exeter and Hampton Electric	3.02	
H & H Oil	2.89	
		$4,296.78

LIBRARY

Appropriation	$400.00	
Income	12.00	
Overdraft	51.82	
		$463.82
H & H Oil	$140.25	
Exeter and Hampton	68.89	
Lamprey Brothers	35.68	
Fred Hutton, mowing lawn	39.00	
James Peabody, mowing lawn 1959	30.00	
Gladys Chapman, librarian	150.00	
		$463.82

VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation	$35.00	
Overdraft	14.90	
		$49.90
John W. A. Green	$16.40	
Margaret Chapman	33.50	
		$49.90

TOWN DUMP

Appropriation	$600.00	
Overdraft	103.00	
		$703.00
H. L. Joy	$530.00	
Robert T. Wiggin	5.00	
P. J. Coakley	168.00	
		$703.00

INSURANCE

Appropriation	$750.00	
Income	37.53	
Overdraft	200.37	
		$987.90
W. Douglas Scamman	$133.73	
Mass. Bonding Company	142.50	
DeMerrit Agency	711.67	
		$987.90

TOWN WELFARE

Appropriation	$1,000.00	
Income	2,526.50	
Balance	182.88	
		$3,343.62
Stratham Grocery	$ 66.87	
State of N. H.	259.73	
Rockingham County Home	2,876.50	
George Hilton, agent	108.71	
C. M. Dining	30.36	
C. M. Hutton, phone	1.45	
		$3,343.62

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation	$600.00	
Balance	6.96	
		$593.04
Exeter & Hampton Electric	$593.04	
		$593.04

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	$ 800.00	
Recovery State Aid	1,175.00	
Balance	1,041.25	
		$933.75
State of N. H. O.A.A.	$933.75	
		$933.75

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	$85.00	
Balance	2.00	
		$83.00
Exeter High School Band	$50.00	
Cobbs T.V.	15.00	
Batchelder's Bookstore, flags	18.00	
		$83.00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Appropriation	$125.00	
Income	276.53	
Balance	321.32	
		$80.21
Exeter & Hampton Electric	$50.11	

Stratham Hardware	13.50	
Bob's Electric Service	5.45	
Wentworth Lumber Co.	.45	
Robert T. Wiggin	8.00	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr.	1.35	
Thomas Nelson	1.35	
		$80.21

CEMETERIES

Appropriation	$100.00	
Income	80.00	
Balance	80.00	
		$100.00
J. Lamson Emery, mowing lots	$100.00	
		$100.00

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES

Appropriation	$300.00	
Overdraft	87.50	
		$387.50
Russell McGuirk	$300.00	
T. W. Chesley Eng. Co., surveying town landing	87.50	
		$387.50

ADVERTISING AND REGIONAL ASSOCIATION

Appropriation	$100.00	
		$100.00
N. H. Seacoast Reg Dev. Assoc.	$100.00	
		$100.00

COUNTY TAX

Appropriation	$4,988.99	
Balance	228.34	
		$4,760.65
Winston H. Lothrop, Treasurer	$4,760.65	
		$4,760.65

INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Appropriation	$135.00	
Balance	65.20	
		$69.80
Exeter Banking Company	$69.80	
		$69.80

INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES

Appropriation	$350.00	
Balance	227.16	
		$122.84
Exeter Banking Company	$122.84	
		$122.84

STRATHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Appropriation	$81,820.35	
Balance Due on 1959 Approp.	44,372.16	
Balance Due on 1960 Approp.	46,820.35	
		$79,372.16
Stratham School Dist.— 1959 Appropriation	$44,372.16	
Stratham School Dist.— 1960 Appropriation	35,000.00	
		$79,372.16

SPECIAL—TOWN HALL CHAIRS

Appropriation	$500.00	
Balance	14.00	
		$486.00
Edward H. Quimby Company	$486.00	
		$486.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation	$9,300.00	
		$9,300.00
State of N.H., Div. of Public Works	$9,300.00	
		$9,300.00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION GROUNDS AT LIBRARY AND FIREHOUSE

Appropriation	$1,000.00	
Balance	59.98	
		$940.02
W. A. Scamman & Son	$ 66.57	
Iafolla Crushed Stone, hot top	25.00	
Peirce Construction Co.	45.00	
P. J. Coakley	368.25	
A. H. Stevens	40.00	
Miles Tree Serv., cutting trees	140.00	
Stratham Hardware	1.09	
Wentworth Lumber Co.	2.98	
R. C. Hazelton, culvert	43.44	
Fred A. Hutton, labor	27.60	
Frank Gilbert, labor	8.77	
Ronald Matthews, labor	8.77	

Gene Matthews, labor	5.40	
John A. Hutton Jr., labor	37.63	
Robert T. Wiggin, labor	93.87	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr., labor	25.65	
		$940.02

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

State Treasurer	$2,395.50

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Ralph D. Parkman, collector	$1,529.02

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Dorothy Schonfeld	$ 6.75	
Frank Eldredge	26.00	
Stanley French	19.00	
Duane Nelson	56.27	
		$108.02

TEMPORARY LOANS

Exeter Banking Company	$15,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$138,306.06

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the accounts of the Board of Selectmen for the fiscal year 1960 and find these accounts properly cast and balanced.

FRANCIS WIGGIN,
JOSEPHINE SCAMMAN,
Auditors

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

Received from Selectmen:		$5,870.28
Winter Roads	$1,864.20	
Summer Roads	4,006.08	
Expenses:		
Robert T. Wiggin, truck and labor	$912.22	
Joseph R. LeClair, truck	15.00	
Peirce Construction Co., equip.	77.50	
A. H. Stevens, truck	88.00	
P. J. Coakley, equipment	870.50	
Albert Pearson, truck	170.00	
Town of North Hampton, equipment	93.50	
Exeter Highway Dept., ½ cost of Stony Brook Lane road	92.43	
Robert T. Wiggin Jr., labor	270.67	
David Noyes, labor	31.72	
Ronald Mathews, labor	107.99	
Frank Gilbert, labor	61.42	
Raymond Hobbs, labor	59.50	
Daniel Davis, mowing	50.00	
Richard B. Capron, mowing	44.00	
Homer Johnson, labor	25.00	
Stanley French, labor	25.65	
Thomas Nelson, labor	74.92	
Walter Witham, labor	41.18	
Goldman Tire Outlet	188.33	
Texas Refining Corp.	69.90	
Prison Industries, road signs	4.00	
Patterson Ford Sales	24.00	
R. C. Hazelton	144.27	
White's Welding	66.68	
Stratham Grocery, gas	3.53	

Eastern States Farmer's Exchange, salt	170.40	
Trimount Bituminous Prod. Co.	1,650.08	
Merrimac Farmer's Ex.	243.34	
Iafolla Crushed Stone Co.	131.20	
Stratham Hard. & Lumber Co.	5.86	
Wentworth Motor Co.	19.15	
Auclair Trans.	4.90	
Exeter & Hampton Electric	11.76	
Lamprey Brothers	17.62	
H & H Oil Co.	4.06	
Total Expenses		$5,870.28

TRUST FUND ACCOUNT

DR.

Principal amounts of Town Trust Funds as of January 1, 1960:		
Cemetery funds	$12,898.00	
Library funds	6,400.00	
Stratham Hill Park funds	4,000.00	
Capital Res. (School Dist.)	1,000.00	
Fund for the benefit of Mary F. Weeks	950.00	
Highway fund	5.00	
		$25,253.00
New trust funds received during 1960:		
Charles W. Jones, cemetery fund	$500.00	
Ralph L. Jewell, cemetery fund	200.00	
		700.00
New Capital; Profit from sale of Bank stocks sold		246.10
Unexpended income on hand January 1, 1960:		
On deposit in savings banks	$2,414.42	
Cash in checking account	96.50	
		2,510.92
Income accruing from Trust funds during 1960:		
From bank stocks	$323.46	
Other investment certificates	8.00	
From insurance stock	13.89	
From Amoskeag Savings Bank	302.95	
Plaistow Cooperative Bank	251.81	

Exeter Cooperative Bank	127.09	
Portsmouth Savings Bank	45.20	
Manchester Fed. Savings and Loan Assoc.	46.36	
Merchants Savings Bank	19.40	
Exeter Banking Company	40.70	
From Puritan Fund Inc.	75.78	
		1,254.64
Total Debits		$29,964.66

CR.

Principal amounts of Town Trust funds as of January 1, 1961:		
Cemetery funds	$13,598.00	
Library funds	6,646.10	
Stratham Hill Park funds	4,000.00	
Capital Res. (School Dist.)	1,000.00	
Mary W. Towle fund for the benefit of Mary F. Weeks	950.00	
Highway fund	5.00	
		$26,199.10
Payments from income during year:		
Paid Library Treasurer	$356.11	
Paid Mary F. (Weeks) Malz	37.57	
Paid J. Lamson Emery for 1959 cemetery work	257.00	
		650.68
Unexpended income December 31, 1960:		
On deposit in savings banks	$3,055.49	
Cash in checking account	109.39	
		3,114.88
Total Credits		$29,964.66

CERTIFICATION

January 12, 1961

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge.

RALPH D. PARKMAN,

JOHN A. HUTTON, JR.,

JAMES SCAMMAN,

Trustees of Trust funds

AUDITORS' STATEMENT

February 2, 1961

We have this day examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the fiscal year 1960, and find them properly cast and balanced. We have also examined all bank books and securities in the custody of the Trustees and find them in order.

JOSEPHINE SCAMMAN,

FRANCIS WIGGIN,

Town Auditors

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF STRATHAM, DECEMBER 31, 1960

Date of Creation	TRUST FUND — PURPOSE OF CREATION	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on Hand
1901	Andrew Wiggin cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood Cemetery	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	3.79	3.57	2.00	5.36
1909	Amanda Lane Library fund							
	Books for Town Library	Portsmouth Savings Bank	700.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	.00	24.71	24.71	.00
1913	James W. Foss cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Portsmouth Savings Bank	75.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	3.06	2.68	2.00	3.74
1913	Sarah Downes cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Portsmouth Savings Bank	50.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	3.31	1.80	2.00	3.11
1919	Frank P. Leavitt cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	3.75	3.54	3.00	4.29
1920	Elizabeth Wood cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Portsmouth Savings Bank	150.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	5.22	5.36	3.00	7.58
1922	John Scammon cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3 1/4 & 3 3/4	3.27	3.54	3.00	3.81
1924	Mary J. Roberts cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	4.04	3.93	3.00	4.97
1924	Mary J. Roberts Library fund							
	Benefit of Town Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	7.90	7.90	.00

1925	Edmund B. Lane Library fund Books for Town Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	39.56	39.56	.00
1928	George & Levi Barker cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	30.56	8.96	8.00	31.52
1929	George W. Dixon Library fund Books for Town Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	39.56	39.56	.00
1930	M. Abbie Sanborn cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	4.43	4.07	3.00	5.50
1930 & 1933	Paine Wingate cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	3.28	4.03	3.00	4.31
1931 & 1933	Joseph C. A. Wingate cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	5.09	4.10	3.00	6.19
1931	George W. Dixon cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Merchants Savings Bank	200.00	3 1/2 to 4	43.11	9.18	7.00	45.29
1931	Mary W. Towle cemetery fund Care of lot - Hiram Wiggin farm	Merchants Savings Bank	200.00	3 1/2 to 4	64.83	10.22	.00	75.05
1931	Mary W. Towle Trust fund Income to Mary F. Weeks	Amoskeag Savings Bank	950.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	37.57	37.57	.00
1932	Horace M. Hill Library fund Books for Town Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	39.56	39.56	.00
1932	Horace M. Hill Park fund Upkeep of Stratham Hill Park	Amoskeag Savings Bank	500.00	3 3/4 & 4	118.01	24.68	.00	142.69
1932	Horace M. Hill highway fund Removing stones - Town roads	Amoskeag Savings Bank	5.00	3 3/4 & 4	5.39	.39	.00	5.78
1933 & 1936	Caroline W. Baker cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	250.00	3 3/4 & 4	36.15	11.17	8.00	39.32
1934	Annie L. Harvey cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	3.62	4.04	3.00	4.66
1936	George Wingate cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	7.03	7.88	5.00	9.91

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1937	J. H. LeRoy cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	17.07	4.34	6.00	15.41
1937	Joseph T. Smart cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	4.20	3.95	3.00	5.15
1938	Edward Clapp cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	4.43	4.07	3.00	5.50
1938	George H. Ellison cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	3.29	4.03	3.00	4.32
1939	George H. Bowley cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	33.35	5.13	6.00	32.48
1939	Hannah M. Barker cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Ezra Barker farm	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	45.66	5.81	.00	51.47
1944	Charles E. Clark cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	14.59	8.35	7.00	15.94
1944	Albert P. Smith cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	2.24	4.02	2.00	4.26
1944	Nathaniel Wiggin cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	3 3/4 & 4	6.62	6.10	5.00	7.72

1945	L. J. Batchelder cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	8.69	4.20	4.00	8.89
1945	John Wiggin cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	15.30	8.38	7.00	16.68
1946	John S. Scammon cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	3 3/4 & 4	5.59	6.06	5.00	6.65
1946	Charles E. Gear cemetery fund	19 Shares Chase Manhattan	992.75	2.40 +	79.61	72.58	15.00	137.19
	Care of lot & improvement of cem.	Exeter Coop. Bank	7.25	3 3/4 & 4				
1946	Charles E. Gear Library fund	53 Shares Nat. Shaw. Bank	2,477.75	2.40	.00	127.20		
	Books & care of Library grounds	Exeter Cooperative Bank	22.25	3 3/4 & 4	.95	.89	129.04	.00
1946	Charles E. Gear Park fund	53 Shares Nat. Shaw. Bank	2,477.75	2.40	388.06	127.20	.00	532.76
	Upkeep of Stratham Hill Park	Exeter Cooperative Bank	22.25	3 3/4 & 4		17.50		
1947	School Dist. Capital Reserve							
	For use of Memorial School	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	3	347.27	40.70	.00	387.97
1947	Minnie S. Sanderson cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	250.00	3 3/4 & 4	22.05	10.33	8.00	24.38
1948	William Dining cemetery fund No. 1							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	25.87	4.59	8.00	22.46
1949	William Dining cemetery fund No. 2							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	100.00	4	19.50	4.00	.00	23.50
1949	David Batchelder cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	100.00	4	10.50	4.00	4.00	10.50
1949	May I. Gowen cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	22.79	8.65	8.00	23.44
1949	Frank H. Barker cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	6.56	4.15	3.00	7.71
1949	Samuel J. Sinclair cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	100.00	4	3.41	4.06	3.00	4.47
1950	Albert C. Lane cemetery fund							
	Care of lot - Greenwood	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	100.00	4	3.36	4.06	3.00	4.42

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1951	Parry C. Wiggin Trust fund Care & main. - Greenwood cem.	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	2,000.00	4	322.96	91.60	.00	414.56
1951	David Jewell cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	300.00	4	27.21	12.93	8.00	32.14
1952	Henry L. Jewell Park fund Upkeep of Stratham Hill Park	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	1,000.00	4	237.91	50.01	.00	287.92
1952	Henry L. Jewell cemetery fund Upkeep of Greenwood Cemetery	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	1,000.00	4	237.91	50.01	.00	287.92
1952	Henry L. Jewell cemetery fund Care of lot No. 105 - Greenwood	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	200.00	4	16.48	8.53	7.50	17.51
1952	Henry L. Jewell cemetery fund Care of lot No. 26 - Greenwood	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	200.00	4	14.66	8.45	7.50	15.61
1952	Florence E. Rollins cemetery fund Care of lot & stones - Upper cem.	Plaistow Cooperative Bank	500.00	4	57.26	22.16	10.00	69.42
1953	Avis L. Luippold cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	13.51	8.10	6.00	15.61
1954	DeWitt C. Chapman cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Manchester Federal Savings and Loan	200.00	4	17.31	8.52	6.00	19.83

1954	Scammon-Lang cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Manchester Federal Savings and Loan	200.00	4	16.27	8.44	7.00	17.71
1955	George H. Odell cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	14.59	8.41	5.00	18.00
1956	Gile - Edmunds, cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Manchester Federal Sav. & Loan Association	200.00	4	12.32	8.32	6.00	14.64
1956	Leavitt - MacDonald cemetery fund Care of lots - Greenwood	Manchester Federal Sav. & Loan Association	300.00	4	22.64	12.76	6.00	29.40
1957	Charles E. Parkman cemetery fund Care of lot in Upper cemetery	3 shares New Hampshire Insurance Co.	123.00	2.15 +	11.50	13.89	5.00	20.39
1957	Ayers-Leavitt cemetery fund Care of lot—Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	9.16	7.96	5.00	12.12
1957	Charles N. Lane cemetery fund Care of lot—Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	7.93	7.90	5.00	10.83
1958	Fred L. Jewell Cemetery Fund Care of Lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	300.00	3 3/4 & 4	11.73	11.97	5.00	18.70
1958	Chas. H. Thompson Cemetery Fund Care of Lot - Upper Cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	100.00	3 3/4 & 4	4.11	3.95	3.00	5.06
1958	Henry Grigg Cemetery Fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Manchester Federal Savings and Loan Asso.	200.00	4	10.15	8.32	4.00	14.47
1959	Frank H. Pearson cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	2.91	7.90	.00	10.81
1959	Elbridge Jewell, cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	1.75	7.86	.00	9.61
1959	William M. Rau, cemetery fund Care of lot - Upper cemetery	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	1.75	7.86	.00	9.61
1960	Charles W. Jones cemetery fund Care of double lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	500.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	6.66	.00	6.66

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1960	Ralph L. Jewell cemetery fund Care of lot - Greenwood	Exeter Cooperative Bank	200.00	3 3/4 & 4	.00	.00	.00	.00
1960	Common Trust Fund All Library Trust funds	842 shares Puritan Fund, Inc.		.09 per sh for quarter	.00	75.78	75.78	.00
			$25,953.00		$2,510.92	1,254.64	$650.68	$3,114.88
Profit from sale of bank stock November, 1960			246.10					
New Principal			$26,199.10					

Note No. 1 The Common Trust Fund is comprised of six separate library funds, and the amount of principal ($6,643.38) is not listed in the "Principal" column because it already appears there as six separate funds.

Note No. 2 No bills for cemetery work done in 1960 had been received up to December 31, 1960, therefore no payments had been made when the accounts were closed.

Trustees of Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE STRATHAM VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT YEAR OF 1960

February 7, 1961

During the past twelve months, the town of Stratham has been very fortunate in not having any serious fires. However, on numerous occasions we have been called out to quell smaller fires which could have been severe without the aid of the volunteers and their knowledge of the equipment.

The department is continuously growing in number and in equipment with the aid of the Ladies' Auxilary, to whom we wish to thank.

The parking area and drive between the firehouse and library, have been cleared and graveled, improving parking area for both. The landscape committee has a good start on the remainder of the land.

As in the past years, the department enjoyed the hospitality of Chief and Mrs. Wiggin, who provided the ideal environment for the annual outing.

The successful Firemen and P.T.A. supper and auction helped the department in their share of the financial responsibility for the past year.

At this time, the department would like to take the opportunity to thank the people of the town for their co-operation in making this a successful year.

Respectfully,

CHRISTOPHER ROWE

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

President: Christopher Rowe
Vice President: Robert Berry

Secretary: George Brown
Treasurer: Nelson Barker

OPERATIONS OFFICERS

Chief: Robert Wiggin
Assistant Chief: Fred Hutton
2nd Assistant: James Scamman
Captain: Douglas Ross
Lieutenant: Burleigh Fernald
Steward: Richard Scamman

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

Balance, in hands of Treas. March 15, 1960	$ 61.03
Savings Dept.	475.00
Interest on Savings Account	17.63
Dues	100.00
Card Parties	36.10
Supper and Auction	586.83
Burning and other Services	101.00
Raffle	103.50
Badges	8.00
Miscellaneous	33.10
	$1,522.19

Disbursements

State Firemen's Association	$ 46.00
Exp. Supper and Auction	354.62
Father and Son Supper	37.92
Flowers and donations	26.25
Supplies for Fire House and trucks	59.16
Miscellaneous	51.07

Balance in hands of Treas. February 7, 1961		154.48
Savings Dept., February 7, 1961		792.19
		$1,522.19
Bal. on hand March 15, 1960	$536.03	
Bal. on hand Feb. 7, 1961	$946.67	

NELSON E. BARKER,
Treasurer

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1960	$260.98	
Income:		
Charles E. Gear Fund	160.32	
Edmund B. Lane Fund	50.97	
George W. Dixon Fund	50.97	
Horace M. Hill Fund	50.97	
Mary J. Roberts Fund	10.18	
Emma B. Wiggin Fund	49.52	
Amanda Lane Fund	32.70	
Interest on Savings	7.73	
		$674.34
Expenses:		
Goodman's Bookstore	$217.97	
Town of Stratham	12.00	
Balance on hand December 31, 1960	444.37	
		$674.34

NEW BOOKS, 1960

Abel, Armand d'Lultremont ..... Around the World on a Bet
Adamson, Joey ..... Born Free
Barrett, William E. ..... The Empty Shrine
Borland, Hal ..... High Wide and Lonesome
Budd, Lillian ..... The Bell of Kamela
Burgess, Thornton W. .... The Burgess Animal Book for Children
Burgess, Thornton W. ..... Now I Remember
Burman, Ben Lucien .... The Street of the Laughing Camel
Burt, F. Allen ..... The Story of Mount Washington
Carroll, Gladys Hasty ..... Come With Me Home
Cary, Joyce ..... Charley is My Darling
Case, Victoria ..... Applesauce Needs Sugar
Chase, Mary Ellen ..... The Lovely Ambition
Christie, Agatha ..... Cat Among the Pigeons
Coatsworth, Elizabeth ..... Desert Dan
Corbett, Elizabeth ..... The Wainwright Inheritance
Cousins, Norman ..... Dr. Schweitzer of Lambarene
DeLaRoche, Mazo ..... Morning at Jalna
Derleth, August ..... The Hills S and Watch
Dooley, Thomas A., M.D. .... The Edge of Tomorrow
Dooley, Thomas A., M.D. .... The Night They Burned the Mountain
Flory, Jane ..... Peddler's Summer
Gair, Malcolm ..... The Schultz Money
Gallico, Paul ..... Mrs. 'Arris Goes to New York
Gautz, Charlotte Orr ..... Discovering Nature
Gardner, Erle Stanley .... The Case of the Duplicate Daughter
Gardner, Erle Stanley ..... The Case of the Shapely Shadow

Gardner, Erle Stanley ..... The Case of the Waylaid Wolf
Gaudge, Elizabeth ..... The Dean's Watch
Halliburton, Richard ..... Complete Book of Marvels
Hawley, Cameron ..... The Lincoln Lords
Hayes, Marrijane & Joseph ..... Bon Voyage
Henry, Marguerite ..... King of the Wind
Henry, Marguerite ..... Muley-Ears Nobody's Dog
Henry, Marguerite ..... Sea Star
Holt, Victoria ..... Mistress of Mellyn
Hood, Margaret Page ..... The Bell on Lonely
Horgan, Paul ..... A Distant Trumpet
Kear, Jean ..... The Snake Has All the Lives
Keyes, Frances Parkinson ..... The Chess Players
Laurence, Isabelle ..... A Spy in Williamsburg
Lee, Harper ..... To Kill a Mockingbird
Lee, Laurie ..... The Edge of Day
Lockbridge, Richard & Frances ..... The Judge is Reversed
Lubell, Winnifred Cecil ..... The Tall Grass Zoo
Maddux, Rachel ..... Abel's Daughter
McGoey, John H. ..... Nor Scrip Nor Shoes
Michener, James A. ..... Hawaii
Morehead, Alan ..... No Room in the Ark
North, Henry Ringling ..... The Circus Kings
Hatch, Alden ..... The Waste Makers
Perkins, Wilma Lord, Ed. ..... The All New Fannie Farmer Cookbook
Priddy, Frances ..... Barbie
Roosevelt, Eleanor ..... You Learn by Living
Sargent, Joan ..... Cruise Nurse
Sheean, Wincent ..... Nehru: The Years of Power
Shute, Nevil ..... Trustees from the Toolroom
Simpson, Dorothy ..... The Maine Islands
Slaughter, Frank G. ..... The Thorn of Arimathea
Slaughter, Frank G. ..... Pilgrims in Paradise

Stout, Rex ..... Too Many Clients
Teele, Edwin Way ..... Journey Into Summer
Thane, Eslwyth ..... Washington's Lady
Tresselt, Alvin ..... Timothy Robbins Climbs the Mountain
Vinning, Elizabeth Gray ..... Return to Japan
Wheeler, Keith ..... Peaceable Lane
Waugh, Evelyn ..... Tourist in Africa

Sawyer, Roland D. .... History of Kensington, N. H.
Given in memory of Eliza J. Evans of Kensington, N. H. by Ralph Batchelder and Family.

PROPERTY VALUATION

The following are the valuations of the real estate of of the Town of Stratham made by the Selectmen as of April 1, 1960,

Name	Acres	Value
Aldrich, Mary E.	14	$2,800
Amsden, Ralph V. and Allice E.	86	12,000
Bacon, Susie S.		1,500
Bailey, Walter and Mabel		5,000
Barker, Chester H. and Vida P.		4,000
Barker, C. Warren Jr. and Grace		4,200
Barker, Donald L. and Evelyn G.		6,000
Barker, Earl L. and Margaret D.	9	4,500
Barker, Florence O. and Carl W.		4,000
Barker, Nelson E. and Hilda G.	135	7,500
Barker, Willard (heirs of)	83	6,600
Batchelder, Gerald and Helen E.	1	3,500
Baxter, Robert C. and Muriel S.		5,000
Beairsto, Alfred E. and Mattie		4,500
" (6 house lots)		1,500
Beairsto, John H. and Florence N.		5,000
Beasley, Orlin C. and Sallie Anne		3,000
Berry, Robert S. and Marjorie		3,000
Berry, Robert S. and Marjorie		7,000
Berry, Robert S. and Marjorie		100
Blair, Gould K. and Eva		3,000
Bradford, William C. and Frances J.	217	8,500
Breslin, James E. and Ruth M.	65	5,000
Brooks, Phillips		3,500
Brewster, Charles R. and Marion T.		7,500
Brewster, Charles R. and Marion T.		5,500
" (woodlot)		600
Brown, Charles and Marion J.		3,500
Brown, George R. and Barbara		4,500

Name	Acres	Value
Bume, Rudolph L. and Lucy B.		5,000
Butterfield, Waldo K. and Bertha E.		8,000
Boynton, Louis		2,500
Cadieux Wayside Furniture		15,000
Calef, Robert G. and Olive B.		4,000
Call, Albert C. and Katherine K.		4,500
Capron, Richard and Rae		4,000
Carbonneau, Edgar and Helen		3,000
Carbonneau, Eugene (heirs of)		4,500
Carbonneau, Lester and Florence		2,500
Carlson, Wilbur E. and Rachel L.		3,000
Caverno, Albert D. and Margaret L.		3,500
Chapman, Gladys A.		3,500
" (camp)		500
Chapman, R. Norris and Margaret C.		3,000
Chapman, Warren D. and Alice G.		2,000
Charbonneau, Charles and Gabrielle		3,000
Chase, Bertha G.		5,500
Chase, Harold S.		3,500
Chase, Oliver B.		5,500
Chick, Fred C.		2,500
Clark, George Jr. and Elizabeth		2,500
Clements, Gladys and Robert G.		3,500
Clemons, George H. and Dorothy		3,500
Cole, John P. and Marion		7,500
Cole, Richard E. and Dorothy M.		4,500
Colwell, William E. and Isabel H.		7,500
Conant, Charles H. and Madelyn M.		3,500
Conant, Robert and Elaine		4,000
Conery, Leslie and Ruth		2,500
Corbin, Robert and Elizabeth		4,500
Cote, Octave P.		3,000
Courtemanche, Eugene and Jane A.		7,500
Couture, Roland L. and Ida		4,000
Crosby, Richard V. and Rosemary		2,500

Name	Acres	Value
Crow, Dwight Jr. and Eleanor		4,000
Crystal Springs Farm		11,000
Crystal Springs Farm		2,500
Cushman, Arthur		4,000
Cushman, Harry		2,500
Chisholm, Mary E.		6,500
Desjardins, Albert E. and Ann L.		4,000
Devine, Minnie		4,500
Dietsch, Harold E.		4,000
Dixwell, Basil S. and Barbara S.		9,500
Dolloff, Nelson and Jessica G.		250
Dostie, Francis C.		6,500
Dow, Lena Mae		3,000
Dreher, Gerald W. and Martha K.		8,000
Durant, Hollis A. and Audrey M.		2,500
Duthie, William H. and Lillian D.		7,500
Eaton, Laurence M. and Helen R.		3,500
Eighmey, Duane and Marie		1,500
Eldredge, Frank L. and Christine		500
Eldredge, Lester E. and Mildred G.		1,000
Elmore, Robert and Dorothy		8,500
Emery, John F.		2,500
Emery, John L. and Ethel M.		3,500
Ekelund, Ferdinand D. and Barbara		3,500
Ferguson, Carl and Helen		4,000
Fernald, Miriam		8,000
Fernald, Ralph and Lucille		5,000
Fischer, Gladys I. and Alfred O.		4,000
Fiske, G. Frank and Beulah C.		4,000
Foote, Harry L.		4,500
Foss, Laurence E. and Kathleen E.		7,500
Frech, John D. (heirs of)		1,500
French, John D. and Marion		3,000
French, Stanley G. and Ruth R.		7,000
Fryer, Malcolm F. and Lillian		4,500

Name	Acres	Value
Freeman, Roger and Gail		4,500
Gallant, Richard and Helen		11,000
Gassett, Mildred		4,000
Gendron, Joseph and Ida		6,500
Gendron, Yvonne		4,000
Gifford, John R. and Norma		7,000
Girard. Paul and Jane		7,000
Goodrich and Parkman		6,000
Goodrich, Robert E. and Irma		4,000
Gorschel, Arthur D. and Gladys		4,500
Gowen, Benjamin F.		5,000
Gowen, G. Arthur and Helen F. L.		4,000
Grout, Sylvia V.		6,000
Haberland, Robert and Elaine		2,500
Hammond, John D. and Harriet J.		3,000
Hanley, Francis E. and Gloria E.		2,000
Harvey, Alice		5,000
Herndon, Gordon D. and Lois P.		8,500
Hersey, Frederic S. Jr.		4,000
Higgins, Scott and Alice		4,000
Higginson, Francis L. Jr.		20,000
Houghton, Milton and Helen		3,000
Houghton, Peter		2,000
Hoyt, Robert E.		4,500
Humes, Walter R. and Lillian M.		6,400
Hutton, Fred A. and Marion E.		2,000
Hutton, John A. Jr. and Charlotte M.		4,500
Happy's Garage		1,000
Hutchins, J. W.		3,000
Jette, John V. and Jane G.		4,500
Jewell, Arthur H. and Dorothea		2,000
Jewell, Charles E.		4,000
Jewell, Hattie and Sadie		6,000
Jewell, H. Roby and Nellie M.		10,500
Johnson, Roland and Eleanor Joy		7,500

Name	Acres	Value
Kinniburgh, Robert and Eldeine		4,000
Klesaris, Mildred M.		2,500
Laine, Adalpha		2,500
Laliberty, William J. and Alice		4,000
Lalond, Harold F. and Florence A.		3,500
Langelier, Valmore K. and Madeline S.		4,000
Lanzello, Kenneth and Fay		5,000
Laviolette, Arthur J. and Ida		3,500
Lee, Andrew and Mabel		3,000
Lefavour, George and Alice		2,500
Lannon, Robert and Lorraine		4,000
MacKenzie, Alexander and Mildred		4,000
MacNeill, Harold and Laurel G.		4,000
Mara, Edward X. and Edna		5,500
Marsh, Abner R.		5,000
Marston, Norman E. and Gertrude M.		6,900
Marston, Norman E. and Gertrude M.		3,600
Marston, Mary		2,500
Mason, Everett and Dorothy		3,000
McLane, William T. and Anna		5,000
McNally, Everett and Beatrice		4,500
Merrill, Leroy B. and Lillian		3,500
McAllister, Paul and Carol		5,000
Monahan, Raymond P. and Sigrid H.		5,000
Nelson, Duane and Dorothy		3,000
Nelson, Charles B. and Ruth		4,000
Newcomb, Robert A. and Albertine H.		5,000
Newcomb, Robert A. and Albertine H.		2,500
Nichols, Irving and Verna		2,500
Noyes, David and Elizabeth		5,000
O'Brien, Daniel and Leah		4,000
O'Brien, James and Lena		3,000
O'Hear, Hugh		4,000
O'Leary, Thomas and Enid		5,000
Ordway, Frederick W. Jr. and Pauline J.		4,000

Name	Acres	Value
Pace, Ralph		3,500
Parker, Charles A.		4,000
Parker, Jesse B. and Eugene		4,500
Parkman, Ralph and Ruth		4,500
Peabody, Charles and Katherine		6,000
Peck, Herbert J. Jr. and Nita J.		7,000
Peirce, James B. and Margaret E.		12,500
Perkins, Frank and Myra		6,000
Piper, Harold		17,000
Piper, Mildred (heirs of)		6,000
Preston, William T. and Ida H.		7,500
Puffer, Stanwood and Carolyn		6,000
Ramsdell, Richard and Anita W.		4,500
Rau, Jean		6,000
Rawson, Herbert and Grace		4,000
Rawson, Verne E. Jr. and Irene		4,500
Rawson, Verne E. and Florence		4,000
Remick, Fred and Christine		4,500
Ricard, Leo		5,000
Roberts, William H. and Roberta		4,800
Roberts, William H. and Roberta		3,700
Roberts, William P. and Viola S.		5,000
Roby, James T. (heirs of)		4,000
Rogalski, Edward		4,000
Rogers, Henry J. and Helen		4,500
Rooney, Fred and Lillian		6,000
Ross, G. Douglas and Nancy		9,500
Rowe, Christopher T. and Joyce		4,000
Rumrill, Earle R. and Florence C.		4,000
Sanderson, Rodney and Madeline		8,500
Saltonstall, Henry and Cecelia		20,000
Sawyer, Paul A. and Margaret M.		4,000
Scamman, Charles J. and Evelyn		2,000
Scamman, James and Josephine		9,000
Scamman, James and Josephine		3,000

Name	Acres	Value
Scamman, Irving and Marguerite		3,000
Scamman, Ralph D. and Joan L.		4,000
Scamman, Richard and Barbara		3,000
Scamman, W. Dauglas and Frances		10,000
Scamman, W. Douglas and Frances		2,000
Scamman, Walter A.		5,500
Scamman, Walter A. and Richard		3,600
Scammon, Leslie and Pauline		5,000
Scammon, R. M. (heirs of)		9,000
Schoch, Joan and Evelyn		5,000
Schoch, Joan and Evelyn		500
Scigliano, Frances		5,000
Seavey, James and Mildred		15,000
Senechal, Leo and Eleanor		2,500
Sewall, Cameron and Joan		1,000
Sewall, Dougald		12,000
Sharenow, Alfred I. and Hazel		20,000
Sharenow, Alfred I. and Hazel		1,000
Sherbuck, Michael and Angelina		10,000
Skinner, Louise		3,000
Spinney, Harlow and Elizabeth		5,500
Spurr, Edith		7,500
Stevens, Albert and Helen		4,000
Stevens, Gilbert and Roberta		1,500
Stevens, Howard and Ann		4,000
Stockbridge, Carl D.		4,500
Squamscott Greenhouse		500
Stratham Hardware and Lumber Co., Inc.		15,000
Stratham Manor Inc.		8,000
Silver, Edward, Estate		2,500
Tebo, Eli J. and Winnifred		3,700
Tessier, Robert		2,500
Troy, Anna Norton		4,000
Tuck, Frank		7,500
Tucker, Raymond and Anna		7,000

Name	Acres	Value
Varrill, Robert A. and Ann H.		5,000
Wentworth, Folger and Anita		4,500
Wentworth, Forrest P. and Bernice		4,500
Wentworth, Forrest P. Jr. and Marcia		4,500
Wentworth, Francis and Winnifred		7,000
Wentworth, Rose E.		3,000
Whitten, Guy and Agnes		2,500
Wiggin, Dana L.		4,000
Wiggin, Earl L. and Ruth		8,500
Wiggin Earl L. Jr. and Joan		5,000
Wiggin, Edwin		3,500
Wiggin, Elmer (heirs of)		5,500
Wiggin, Francis and Jean		3,000
Wiggin, George B. (heirs of)		3,000
Wiggin, Robert T. and Bertha C.		8,000
Williams, James		1,500
Wiliams, S. W. and Mabel		2,500
Witham, Fred and Lila		1,000
Woods, Edward R. and Harriet		5,000
Woolston, John and Evelyn D.		7,500
Wilson, R. H.		4,000
Wells, Perley, Estate		2,000
Yeo, Robert		3,000
York, Sewall, and Bessie		3,000
Young, Robert and Ruth		7,000
Cammett, George		1,000

NON-RESIDENTS

American Oil Company		300
Allen Hatcheries		8,000
Booker, Lora A.		600
Barton, Charles		80
Batchelder, Richard		500
Batchelder, Edwin		70
Breslin, Charles		100

Name	Acres	Value
Barker, George A.		650
Brant, Joncea M.		2,500
Burris, Charles		30
Beasley, Francis P.		250
Bell and Flynn		2,500
Cottrell, Maurice		140
Callahan Realty Inc.		5,500
Community Oil Co.		300
Chevalier, Kendall and Ruby A.		40
Cornelius, Ethel B.		100
Cardoza, Manuel S. and Joan P.		400
Christie Realty Inc.		30,000
Davis, Eleanor		6,200
Davenport, W. Paul		5,000
Dagastino, Mary		2,000
DeRochemont, Gladys		250
Dow, Richard and Benjamin		1,200
Dowling, Clark W. and Dorothy A.		250
Durgin, George H.		300
Dunton, Ada M.		100
DallaMura, Bart		100
DeMers, Doris and Leo		7,500
Ellingwood, Austin P.		400
Exeter Hampton Electric Co.		48,200
Exeter Water Works		4,000
Exeter Mobile Homes Inc.		100
Eldredge, Frank C.		100
Fitzgerald, Theodore F.		100
Fowler, Jewitt W. Jr. and Edwin C.		50
Godfrey, Shirley G.		1,500
Gowen, George		6,000
Granite State Gas Trans.		26,000
Gustafson, Pauline		500
Grant, Gordon W.		100
Harris, John C. and Ruth C.		150

Name	Acres	Value
Hammond, William C. Jr.		1,300
Halvorsen, Alberta F.		50
Hatch, Rosalie		1,000
Haley, Joseph G. Jr.		50
Haley, Harold E.		100
Haverstraw, Charles		50
Hilton, Douglass and Estelle		100
Hoyt, Charles E.		100
Holmstrom, Eleanor		60
Hickey, Francis T.		500
Hunter, Eugene and Pamela		250
Jewell, George		25
Janvrin, Jeanette		100
Mahoney, J. Myles		100
Moody, Benjamin		70
Michaelis, Marion W.		500
Martin, Lorraine		1,800
Morris, Thomas		600
N. H. Electric Co.		25,000
O'dell, James (heirs of)		20
Pace, Barbara N.		50
Page, Edwin A.		200
Pesce, Emilio		4,500
Pettingill, George H.		1,200
Public Service Co. of N. H.		74,000
Raeder, Mildred		11,000
Rollins, Beatrice A.		350
Rollins, Harrison K. and Mary C.		200
Roberts, Eugene		150
Robinson, Sheldon A. and Eva		50
Rosa, William		3,000
Sanborn, E. Chandler		150
Seavey, Ralph B.		800
Smart, John (heirs of)		20
Smart, Joseph (heirs of)		20

Name	Acres	Value
Smith, Florence		3,000
Smith, Evelyn		200
Sharp, Reginald and Charlotte		3,500
Stanley, Raymond and Constance H.		1,000
Spinney, Clayton S. and Barbara G.		50
Severance, Selina (heirs of)		500
Severance, Fred (heirs of)		50
Swearington, Chester		1,500
Schoch, Edgar J.		250
Shovan, Ellsworth L. and Helen B.		250
Stancisco, June		200
Stratham Associates		3,600
Sturges, Ninonah		7,000
Thomas, Horace E.		50
Tuttle, Charles R. and Alice		200
Traphagen, Bertha; and Wolfe, Eunice		30
Winkler, Stephen		200
Winch, Carl and Priscilla		250

SCHOOL REPORT

SCHOOL OFFICERS

School Board

Henry Saltonstall

James Scamman

*Katherine Peabody

School Treasurer

*Ralph D. Parkman

Moderator

*William P. Roberts

Clerk

*Bertha E. Parks

Auditor

*Francis Wiggin

*Term Expires

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

At last year's annual Meeting the district requested that two separate budgets be drawn up for next year: one budget to include the teaching of 7th Grade in Stratham and one to include the teaching of 7th Grade in Exeter. This has been done.

The most significant differences appear in the items of teachers' salaries and elementary tuition. By sending the 7th Grade to Exeter we save one teacher's salary but we pay a very large sum for tuition. Costs for transportation will not change significantly. Sending the 7th Grade to Exeter would cost about $5,100 more for the next school year.

This extra cost for next year is unusually high because next year's 7th Grade is the largest grade in our school and numbers 28 pupils. The average size of the next succeeding four grades is 22 pupils. To send 22 pupils to Exeter would cost $3,000 extra per year. It is perhaps fair to guess that for the next 10 years (the term of our contract with Exeter) our 7th Grade will average 25 children and the cost of sending a grade of this size to Exeter will be about $4,000 a year or approximately $160 per child per year.

Will the 7th Grade curriculum in Exeter be enough better than our own curriculum to make this investment worth-while? The Exeter Junior High has a two year coordinated program for 7th and 8th grades. All teaching is departmentalized. In each subject taught there are separate classes for the hard working and more talented children who are able to go ahead faster than the average. Exeter offers a physical education course, a shop course, and a home economics course in 7th grade.

These are real educational advantages. The town must decide whether to have them or not.

HENRY SALTONSTALL,

JAMES SCAMMAN,

KATHERINE PEABODY.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Stratham qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Memorial School in said district on the 13th day of March 1961, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see if the District will vote to accept the form of contract agreement with the Exeter School District

for Junior and Senior High School tuition pupils as it is printed elsewhere in this report.

10. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District and to authorize the application against said appropriations of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriations, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

11. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Stratham this 30th day of January, 1961.

HENRY SALTONSTALL,
JAMES SCAMMAN,
KATHERINE S. PEABODY,
School Board of
Stratham, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY SALTONSTALL,
JAMES SCAMMAN,
KATHERINE S. PEABODY,
School Board of
Stratham, N. H.

SCHOOL BUDGET

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF STRATHAM

1961 - 1962

EXPENDITURES

	Expend. 1959-60	Est. Expend. 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62 7th Grade Stratham	Adopted Budget 1961-62 7th Grade Exeter
Administration:				
Salaries of District Officers	$ 245.00	$ 250.00	$ 260.00	$ 260.00
Superintendent's Salary	492.00	526.00	548.00	548.00
Tax for State Wide Supervision	546.00	518.00	538.00	538.00
Salaries of Other Admin. Personnel	538.36	858.00	924.00	924.00
Supplies and Expenses	289.97	322.00	326.00	326.00
Instruction:				
Teachers' Salaries	28,008.38	30,410.00	31,750.00	27,650.00
Books and Other Instruction Aids	764.95	740.00	720.00	608.00
Scholars' Supplies	1,045.23	925.00	900.00	760.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	452.87	325.00	400.00	400.00
Operation of School Plant:				
Salary of Janitor	2,400.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Fuel	1,647.94	1,900.00	1,900.00	1,900.00
Water, Lights, Supplies & Expenses	1,567.44	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,100.00
Maintenance of School Plant:				
Repairs and Replacements	843.92	800.00	700.00	700.00
Auxiliary Activities:				
Health Supervision	770.63	800.00	870.00	870.00
Transportation, High School	2,100.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Transportation, Elementary	6,200.00	4,800.00	5,100.00	5,100.00
Tuition, High School	21,769.29	30,400.00	33,891.00	33,891.00
Tuition, Elementary	5,579.70	6,325.00	9,152.00	19,008.00
Special Funds and Activities	410.00	510.00	480.00	480.00
School Lunch and/or Milk	651.15	800.00	800.00	800.00
Fixed Charges:				
Retirement & Social Security	2,032.44	2,214.00	2,391.54	2,104.54
Insurance, Treas. Bond, etc.	849.89	885.00	813.50	813.50
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	$79,205.13	$91,408.00	$99,564.04	$104,781.04
Capital Outlay:				
Additions and Improvements	969.50			
New Equipment	1,176.05	550.00	600.00	500.00
Debt and Interest:				
Principal of Debt	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,442.50	2,222.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE OR SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	**$90,793.18**	**$101,180.00**	**$109,164.04**	**$114,281.04**

RECEIPTS

	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62
Balance (actual or estimate)	$10,411.72	$ 5,919.16	$
State Aid —			
Foundation	8,752.84	8,841.84	8,800.00
School Building	2,100.00	1,957.61	2,100.00
Federal Aid —			
School Lunch or Milk	625.15	600.00	600.00
P.L. 874	5,691.00	6,000.00	2,800.00
Nat. Ed. Defense Act	249.47	275.40	240.26
Other — State Ward Tuition	240.00		50.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	28,070.18	23,594.01	14,590.26
District Assessment	68,642.16	81,820.35	94,573.78
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT	**$96,712.34**	**$105,414.36**	**$109,164.04**

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For fiscal year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

RECEIPTS

From Local Taxation:		
School appropriation, current year		$68,642.16
Received from State Treasurer:		
State funds	$8,752.84	
Per. of bond retirement	2,100.00	
Fed. funds for school lunches	625.15	
		11,477.99
Received directly from Fed. agencies:		
Bal. of Fed. aid, 1858-1959	1,307.00	
Federal aid, 1959-1960	4,384.00	
Fed. reimbursement under NDEA	249.47	
		5,940.47
Other sources of revenue:		
Balance of building fund		2,264.12
Tuition for State wards		
From Raymond school dist.	194.25	
From City of Portsmouth	480.00	
		674.25
Refund on lawn mower	79.95	
Payment for damages done	5.85	
Tel. toll calls refunded	1.05	
		86.85
Total receipts from all sources		$89,085.84
Cash on hand July 1, 1959		8,147.60
Grand total		$97,233.44

PAYMENTS

For Administration:

Salaries of District officers	$245.00	
District's share of Supt's salary	492.00	
Dist. share Helping Teacher sal.	108.80	
Dist. share of other admin. sal.	429.56	
Supplies and other expenses	289.97	
Tax for Statewide supervision	546.00	
		$2,111.33

Instruction:

Net sal. of teachers & subs.	21,885.83	
Payments for advanced study	200.00	
Other instructional payments	40.00	
Federal taxes withheld	3,643.54	
Retirement withheld	1,166.50	
Social Security taxes withheld	786.88	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield withheld	285.60	
Gross salaries of teachers		28,008.35
Books and other instructional aids		764.95
Scholars supplies		1,065.48
Hardwriting instruction		350.00

Operation of school plant:

Net salary of custodian	1,970.40	
Federal taxes withheld	220.80	
Soc. Sec. taxes withheld	66.00	
Blue Cross withheld	142.80	
		2,400.00
Fuel oil	1,623.44	
Electricity	1,020.94	
Telephone	83.27	

Water filter	31.50	
Supplies and expenses	491.40	
		3,250.55
Maintenance of school plant:		
Repairs and replacements		1,867.77
Auxiliary activities:		
Health supervision		
Salary of school nurse	754.40	
Expenses	16.53	
		770.93
School Lunch Program		
Paid from Federal funds	625.15	
Paid from District funds	26.00	
		651.15
Retarded children		
Paid Exeter school district		410.00
Tuitions:		
At Exeter High School	21,609.10	
At Exeter Junior High	5,579.70	
Paid Atkinson school district	594.44	
		27,783.24
Transportation:		
Marshall's Trans. Co., contract		
For High School pupils	2,100.00	
For elementary pupils	6,200.00	
		8,300.00
Fixed charges:		
District's share—Teachers ret.	1,395.36	
Other retirement payments	86.74	

Soc. Sec. taxes paid by Dist.	550.34	
		2,032.44
Insurance and Treasurer's bond:		
Insurance on school property	801.69	
Liability insurance	18.20	
School Treasurer's bond	30.00	
		849.89
Capital outlay:		
Improvements & new equipment		1,255.70
Debt and interest:		
1950 bonds retired	2,000.00	
1957 bonds retired	5,000.00	
Interest paid as due	2,442.50	
		9,442.50
Total payments		$91,314.28
Cash on hand June 30, 1960		5,919.16
Grand Total		$97.233.44

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES SCHOOL YEAR 1959 - 1960

EXPENDITURES

	Approp. 1959-60	Expend. 1959-60	Unexpend. Balance	Overdraft
Administration:				
Salaries of Dist. Officers	$ 250.00	$ 245.00	$ 5.00	$
Superintendent's Salary	492.00	492.00		
Tax for State Wide Super.	548.00	546.00	2.00	
Salaries of Other Admin. Pers.	677.00	538.36	138.64	
Supplies and Expenses	297.00	289.97	7.03	
Instruction:				
Teachers' Salaries	27,025.00	28,008.35		983.35
Books & Other Instr. Aids	740.00	764.95		24.95
Scholars' Supplies	925.00	1,045.23		120.23
Other Expenses of Instruction	325.00	452.87		127.87
Operation of School Plant:				
Salary of Janitor	2,450.00	2,400.00	50.00	
Fuel	1,800.00	1,647.94	152.06	
Water, Lights, Sup. & Exp.	1,000.00	1,567.44		567.44
Maintenance of School Plant:				
Repairs and Replacements	800.00	843.92		43.92
Auxiliary Activities:				
Health Supervision	760.00	770.63		10.63
Transportation, High School	3,500.00	2,100.00	1,400.00	
Transportation, Elementary	4,800.00	6,200.00		1,400.00
Tuition, High School	24,200	21,769.29	2,430.71	
Tuition, Elementary	6,500.00	5,579.70	920.30	
Spec. Funds and Activities		410.00		410.00
School Lunch and/or Milk	8.75	651.15	223.85	
Fixed Charges:				
Retire. & Social Security	1,873.00	2,032.44		159.44
Insurance, Treas. Bond, Etc.	875.00	849.89	25.11	
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	$80,712.00	$79,205.13		
Capital Outlay:				
Additions & Improvements	500.00	969.50		469.50
New Equipment	450.00	1,176.05		726.05
Debt and Interest:				
Principal of Debt	6,000.00	7,000.00		1,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,420.00	2,442.50		22.50
TOTAL EXPENDITURE OR SCHOOL APPROP.	**$90,082.00**	**$90,793.18**	**$5,354.70**	**$6,065.88**

RECEIPTS

	Actual	Estimated
Balance	$10,411,72	$ 5,919.16
State Aid —		
Foundation	8,752.84	
School Building	2,100.00	
Federal Aid —		
School Lunch or Milk	625.15	
P.L. 874	5,691.00	
Nat. Ed. Defense Act	249.47	
Other — Tuition	240.00	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	28,070.18	
District Assessment	68,042.16	
TOTAL FUNDS RECEIVED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT	**$96,712.34**	

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT

As of June 30, 1960

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Cash on hand June 30, 1959	$2,264.12

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Paid to Gen. fund by vote of the Dist.	$2,264.12

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

As of June 30, 1960

Liabilities:		
Bonds outstanding—		
Issued May 1, 1950	$20,000.00	
Bonds outstanding—		
Issued April 1, 1957	50,000.00	
		$70,000.00
Capital Reserve funds		1,367.47
		$71,367.47
Assets:		
Capital Reserve funds	1,367.47	
Cash on hand June 30, 1960	5,919.16	
		7,286.63
Net debt—Liabilities less assets		$64,080.84

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Stratham of which the above is a true summary, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

July 20, 1960

FRANCIS F. WIGGIN,
School District Auditor

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM
AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

RECEIPTS		
Balance on July 1, 1959	$ 706.93	
Rec'd from Lunches		
Children	3,184.80	
Adults	176.00	
Reimbursement from State	556.95	
		$4,624.68
EXPENDITURES		
Food	$2,130.64	
Labor	1,759.05	
Others	60.99	
		$3,950.68
Balance		674.00
USDA Commodities Received		
Wholesale Value		737.06
Donations		5.00
Assets:		
Cash in Bank	674.00	
Reimbursement due	105.45	
Food Inventory	225.50	
Supplies Inventory	800.00	
Total Assets		$1,849.95
Liabilities:		
Withholding Tax payable	$79.30	
F. I. C. A. tax payable	27.24	
Total		$106.54
Working Capital		$1,849.95
Total Liabilities and Working Capital		$1,956.49

The Books of the school Lunch Program have been audited and found correct.

FRANCIS WIGGIN,
Auditor

New Hampshire

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

A CONTRACT FOR PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOLS

(RSA 194:22 and 194:27)

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT is made this _____ _____ day of _____, 19_____ by and between the _____ School District located in the County of Rockingham, and State of New Hampshire, and the Exeter School District located in the County of Rockingham, and State of New Hampshire.

WITNESSETH: That

WHEREAS said _____ School District does not maintain a high school and is desirous of having ( ) all ( ) some of its pupils grades _____ through 12 attend the high school in said Exeter School District and has authorized its School Board to make a contract for such high school education: and

WHEREAS, said Exeter School District maintains a high school approved by the State Department of Education of the State of New Hampshire, and through its School Board is willing to receive said scholars and afford them the complete course of instruction now given in its high school

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED that the_____ _____ School Board will send ( ) all ( ) some of its high school pupils to the high school of said Exeter School District and the said Exeter School Board hereby agrees to accept such high school pupils for the intervals as set forth in subsequent paragraphs.

AND IT IS FURTHER AGREED that the tuition rate for the scholars shall be as set forth by the terms described in the following paragraph:

Separate tuition rates shall be established for grades 7 and 8, and grades 9 - 12. These rates shall be established for each school year before December 15 of the preceding school year. Throughout the duration of this agreement, which shall begin July 1, 1961, and continue through June 30, 1971, the tuition rates shall be based upon the estimated average per pupil costs of grades 7 - 8, and grades 9 - 12 in the public schools of Exeter for the school year preceding the year to which the tuition rates are applicable; plus a rental charge of two percent as provided under N.H. RSA 194:27. Such expenditures as are reimbursed by State or Federal aid programs shall not be included in the estimation

of per pupil cost. Each tuition rate and rental charge shall be submitted to the State Board of Education for approval prior to being made a part of this contract. The tution rate and the rental charge adopted for each year shall be made binding upon the parties of this agreement by means of an appropriate memorandum to be signed by the school boards of each school district and approved by the State Board of Education, and then made a part of this agreement.

AND IT IS FURTHER AGREED that the high school maintained by the School District known as Exeter High School will continue throughout the contract period to maintain a program of studies at least comparable in quality and variety to that which exists at the time that said parties subscribed to this agreement.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, said parties to this agreement have by their school boards respectively hereunto set their hands and seals on the day and year first written.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF _____

By _____

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School Board

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF _____

By _____

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School Board

Approved by the State Board of Education for the period _____, 19_____, to _____, 19_____.

Record of annual approval of tuition rates and rental charges shall be by means of an appropriate memorandum which is to be made a part of this agreement.

Concord, New Hampshire

_____, 19 _____

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Commissioner of Education

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Stratham:

The school year 1960-1961 opened with the following teaching staff.

Mrs. Gwendlyn M. Allen, Principal, Grade 6
Mrs. Hilda Barker, Grade 1
Mrs. Adeline Liberatore, Grade 2
Mrs. Gladys Clements, Grade 3
Mrs. Bertha Wiggin, Grade 4
Mrs. Marian Burwell, Grade 4
Mrs. Marguerite Scamman, Grade 7
Mrs. Eleanor Henry, Music
Miss Mary Shea, School Nurse
Miss Gemma Jean, Assistant School Nurse
Mrs. Regenia Matthews, Art
Mr. Harold Matava, Handwriting

This is the same conscientious and experienced staff which taught last year and I believe Stratham is fortunate to have them again furnishing the educational training for the boys and girls.

The problem of housing the junior and senior high school pupils was resolved when the Exeter School District voted to build an addition to its high school building. This action was followed by the vote of the Stratham School District to enter into an equitable contract agreement with Exeter for tuition pupils to attend Exeter High School for a period of ten years subject to approval of the form of the agreement at the annual district meeting this year.

The form has been prepared and approved by the State Department of Education and by the Exeter School Board. The tuition rates and the rental fee for the year 1961-1962 have been announced as $352 for senior high pupils. The estimated per pupil cost for

junior high students for 1960-61 is $330 plus the rental fee of $22; the estimated per pupil cost for senior high students for the current year is $407 plus the rental fee of $22 resulting in these rates. The average cost per high school pupil as announced by the State Department for tuition pupils for next year is $436 so that the Exeter rate even with the rental fee continues to be below the state average.

In estimating the per pupil costs the following current expenditures were not included: tax for state wide supervision, transportation, salary of the Helping Teacher, hot lunch programs, reimbursement from the National Defense Education Act, tuitions and capital outlay items.

Also, in determining the per pupil rental fee instead of using the actual number of pupils which is estimated as 900 for next year at the junior-senior high school, the Exeter School Board voted to use the number for the capacity of the building which will be 1200 pupils. This decision reduced the amount of the rental fee by about eight dollars per pupil.

I believe that the above action indicates that the Exeter Board has tried to be very fair in preparing the contract agreement and in its attempt to keep the tuition rates as reasonable as possible.

The addition to Exeter High School will provide improved and enlarged facilities for science, shop courses, commercial subjects, music and cafeteria services. It will also provide a Language Laboratory, a library which is separate from the study hall, an improved guidance area and eleven classrooms. This will complete a modern school plant of which Exeter and the districts which send their students to this school can indeed be proud.

Mr. Donald Elsemore was elected to the Helping Teacher position last January. I would like to devote a part of this report to his statement of some of the work

which he has been doing especially as his role is that of Supervisor of Elementary Education which gives him the opportunity to work with the elementary teachers and to assist them in their teaching.

He reports as follows:

"Parents of elementary school children have certainly been aware of a new pupil report card this year. Its adoption was the result of much work on the part of the teachers under the guidance of the Helping Teacher. Part of this work took place during the summer vacation months. The Report Card Committee carefully studied a large selection of sample cards from all parts of the country. They read the latest educational research on the subject. From this material and from the many personal thoughts and opinions of committee members came the present report card. Each portion of the card evolved only after much thought and deliberation, discussion and revision. The new card attempts to grade the child in two ways: (1) According to prescribed grade standards — this appears necessary if pupil marks are to have definite meaning to parents, teachers and school officials. (2) According to the ability of the child — we all know that children differ in their ability to learn. It is quite impossible for all children to achieve at the same level regardless of effort. Thus a mark based on individual ability and effort seems in keeping with sound principles of child development.

"The combination of these two marks gives a much clearer picture of each child than did the former undefined single mark.

"The purpose of marking is to help each child achieve to the very best of his ability. It also serves to help parents better understand their child's school progress so that they may offer the right kind of parental assistance. This card attempts to fulfill

these objectives. Although the perfect report card may never be invented, we feel that this new card is certainly a step in the right direction in the evaluation of pupil progress.

"Another project now in progress under the direction of the Helping Teacher is the development of a curriculum guide for the elementary arithmetic program. This is a year-long project which involves a great deal of work on the part of all participants. The purpose of the guide is to outline the arithmetic concepts to be taught in each grade and to offer suggestions for improving the quality of its teaching. Mr. George Cunningham, N. H. State Director of Mathematics, is serving as the mathematical consultant to the group.

"The result of this work should serve as a valuable aid to both old and new teachers in their arithmetic teaching. It should also help to standardize instruction throughout the supervisory union so that all youngsters may enter high school with the benefit of a common mathematical background. The group work involved in the formation of the guide has also been of great value in the coordination of teacher thinking.

"These two projects have been given as examples of the type of work done by the Helping Teacher. Daily work is greatly varied and includes many other activities. Any task which might serve to promote the highest of educational standards in the community might well be tackled by the Helping Teacher."

As a matter of public information on days when there is to be no school due to inclement weather an announcement will be made over the Dover radio station WTSN, 1270 on the dial, starting at 6:45 A. M. and over the Portsmouth radio station WHEB, 750 on the dial, starting at 7:15 A. M. during December and Jan-

uary and at 6:45 A. M. during the other months of the year.

The Parent-Teacher Association deserves credit for its contribution to the educational needs of the school.

Mr. Peter Houghton as janitor has been conscientious in the work of keeping the school building neat and clean.

Mrs. Naomi Beairsto and Mrs. Ruth Young continue to provide good meals for the Hot Lunch Program.

I call your attention to the reports and tables which follow.

I am glad to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to the citizens, the members of the school board, and the teachers for their continued support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND A. HOYT,

Superintendent, Supervisory Union No. 16

January 20, 1961

Stratham, New Hampshire

REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The purpose of a music program in the schools is to create in all pupils an interest in music, and to stimulate this interest by presenting a variety of musical activities in which they may participate.

It is hoped that from these musical experiences all will feel that music can bring them much enjoyment throughout their lives.

Musical activities for the year 1960 included ear-training, rhythms of various types, work with rhythm band, action songs, folk songs and dances, music appreciation, work with tonettes, learning the fundamentals of music, note-reading, singing in unison and in two and three parts, singing games and square dances.

In December the pupils of the first four grades presented a Christmas operetta. Between the acts of the operetta, a choral group chosen from the fifth, sixth and seventh grades sang a group of Christmas songs. The teachers all worked very hard on this program, and should be congratulated for its success, as should be Mrs. Matthews for her work on the scenery for the stage.

In closnig, I wish to thank Mr. Hoyt, Mr. Elsemore, the members of the School Board, the P.T.A., the teachers, and the parents for their co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR HENRY

Stratham, N. H., January 14, 1961

REPORT OF THE ART SUPERVISOR

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The art projects for 1960-61 were planned to give training and experience in as many media as possible—finger paint, gouache, cut paper, crayons, papier mache and clay. The children from the 4th grade up tried modeling figures and animals in papier mache and clay. Several pieces made last winter were accepted for the School Exhibit held last October at the Currier Art Gallery, in Manchester.

This past winter, outstanding work from each grade has been almost continually in the halls and auditorium of the school. The children enjoy seeing the work of the other grades—and they learn a great deal by observation and comparison.

The 4th and 7th grades helped with scenery for the Christmas play. The 5th and 7th grades decorated the auditorium. To help prepare the scenery for their own play is a particularly valuable experience for children—To set the stage helps them to enter the character and mood of the play and gives added confidence in their own abilities to act. In so far as possible the children's abilities will be utilized to make scenery for the play being given by the upper grades this spring.

At this time I wish to thank all who have helped to make this a sucessful year.

Respectfully submitted,

REGENIA P. MATTHEWS

Stratham, N. H.

January 23, 1961

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools:

If our report were to be presented under a title other than "School Health Report" we would entitle this "Health Services for Our School Children — How Well are They Met?"

The following chart shows the essentials of a health service program and indicates existence of same in our communities.

Medical Supervision in:	East Kingston	Greenland	Kensington	Newfields	Stratham
Physicals for new pupils and those indicating need as well as Grades listed	1 & 5	none	1-3-5	1-3-5	1 & 5
Communicable Disease Prevention and Control Immunization Clinics	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
Other Clinics:					
Pre-school	none	yes	yes	yes	yes
Speech	avail.	yes	yes	yes	yes
Crippled Children	avail.	avail.	avail.	avail.	avail.
Tuberculosis	avail.	avail.	avail.	avail.	avail.
Home visits on selective basis, when need is indicated	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
Health Histories	adeq.	adeq.	adeq.	adeq.	adeq.
Individual Instruction of Child and Parent	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes

Organized Educational Activities: A desired goal, but due to ever increasing demands of the nurses in areas of emotional

problems, physical needs, etc. this is only touched upon lightly. We hope to be able to construct a plan to fulfill this much needed health phase in the future.

School health services comprise those procedures designed to determine the health status of the child, to enlist the child's interest in protecting and safe-guarding his health, to help parents to understand their children's health needs, and to take the necessary steps to provide suitable treatment for disease and correction of physical defects.

It is recognized that the school provides only a part of the total experience of the child. He lives in a home in a community and has a multitude of daily experiences, not directed by the school, which affect his health behavior. The cooperative action of the school, home and community is essential if the most effective type of health direction is to be developed.

Communication with communities through PTA's and other civic organizations has ignited an interest in our children which continues to grow. We look ahead and continue building a healthier future and improved living for our children.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY G. SHEA, R. N.,
School Nurse

GEMMA R. JEAN, R. N.,
Assistant School Nurse

REPORT OF SUPERVISORY UNION RETARDED CLASS

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The Supervisory Union Class went into its second year last September with an enrollment of fourteen children—8 boys and 6 girls. The chronological age range is 11 to 16, and the physical size, needs, and abilities show a like span.

The practical approach to all subject matter is used continuously. Where it is at all feasible, we experience personally the problems we are studying. Real money is used, trips are taken, kitchen duties are performed. Government in action has a new meaning, because Governor Powell himself has welcomed the group and has kept in contact with the class.

This is a year of great academic achievement. There are four major groupings in the room in the areas of reading and arithmetic. Teams are used and child helps child. As in the preceding year, we use frequently class time for oral discussions. We have in common the need to talk and express our thoughts and feelings.

The life of the Union Class is very busy and full. We are fortunate to have the Supervisors of Music, Art, and Physical Education with us each week. Their interest and understanding is commendable. We are enjoying and deriving great benefits this year from the Television lessons which we attend. New Hampshire History is coming alive to us and Natural Science is a facinating course.

Boy Scout Troop 322 and Girl Scout Troop 588 are very active this year. Each group meets weekly on different days with their leaders. The boys are working on their First Class Badges and the girls are working on their Good Grooming Badges.

The children and I gratefully acknowledge the interest shown and opportunities afforded us. This is a good year.

Respectfully Submitted,
MARIAN R. WEBSTER,

Exeter, N. H.
January 24, 1961

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY 1959 - 1960

Exeter	$415.00
East Kingston	276.00
Greenland	516.00
Kensington	297.00
Newfields	294.00
Stratham	492.00
State's share	2,500.00
	$8,500.00

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1961 - 1962

School Opens - Sept. 6 (Wed.)			
Closes - Dec. 22 (Frl.)	75 days	16 weeks	
Opens - Jan. 2 (Tues.)			
Closes - Feb. 16 (Fri.)	34 days	7 weeks	
Opens - Feb. 26 (Mon.)			
Closes - April 20 (Fri.)	40 days	8 weeks	
Opens - April 30 (Mon.)			
Closes - June 15 (Fri.)	34 days	7 weeks	
	183 days	38 weeks	

No School Days:

October 20—NHEA Convention
November 23 and 24—Thanksgiving Recess
May 30—Memorial Day

School will be dismissed at noon on November 22.

TABLE I

STRATHAM PUPILS

TOTAL ENROLLMENT JANUARY 1, 1961

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Tot.
Stratham Memorial	27	22	23	22	23	28	25	0	0	0	0	0	170
St. Michael's	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Phillips Exeter Acad.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Portsmouth High	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Exeter High	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	22	18	13	18	94
Retarded Class													3	3
Totals	27	22	23	23	23	28	25	23	22	18	14	19	3	270
1960 Comparisons	20	24	19	26	24	26	22	23	18	13	22	13	2	252

TABLE II

STRATHAM SCHOOL

STATISTICS FOR TEN YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1960

School Year	Weeks	Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Ave. Attend.	Ave. Absence	Ave. Membership	Percent of Attend.	Cases Tardiness	Visits of Supt.
1950-51	38	53	40	93	73.0	5.2	78.2	93.33	42	74
1951-52	38	54	43	97	75.6	8.67	83.73	93.24	31	68
1952-53	38	59	57	116	86.41	5.90	92.31	93.68	61	80
1953-54	38	58	59	117	99.64	6.30	105.92	94.05	51	100
1954-55	38	60	74	134	115.2	6.9	122.1	94.30	40	77
1955-56	38	49	66	115	106.0	6.9	112.9	94.00	14	77
1956-57	38	66	75	141	124.4	6.8	131.2	94.5	49	95
1957-58	38	86	103	189	154.2	8.9	163.1	94.5	69	175
1958-59	38	85	93	178	154.1	7.9	162.0	95.1	45	155
1959-60	38	98	79	177	157.3	8.4	165.7	94.9	64	114

TABLE III

STRATHAM SCHOOL

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE ENTIRE YEAR 1959-60

Susan Bacon
Theodore Bacon
Beverly Batchelder
Joyce Durant
Marilyn French
Kathleen Goodwin
Danny Rawson
Charles Scamman
Shirley Scamman
Thomas Valley

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHAM, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1960

Date of Birth 1960	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Living or stillborn	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 9	Exeter, N. H.	Heidi Jean Sewall	F	L	W	Dougald C. Sewall, Jr.	Joan H. Miller
Feb. 13	Portsmouth, N. H.	Susan Diane Goodrich	F	L	W	Robert E. Goodrich	Irma Hurwitz
Mar. 27	Exeter, N. H.	Lynn Marie Stevens	F	L	W	Howard A. Stevens	Ann L. Choquette
Jan. 7	Exeter, N. H.	Steven Keith Stevens	M	L	W	Gilbert A. Stevens	Robert A. French
April 11	Exeter, N. H.	Robert Frank Nelson	M	L	W	Charles B. Nelson	Ruth Leighton
April 12	Exeter, N. H.	Joseph Earl Scamman	M	L	W	James Scamman	Josephine Wiggin
Mar. 28	Exeter, N. H.	Andrew David Wiggin	M	L	W	Robert T. Wiggin	Bertha Christofferson
May 25	Newburyport, Mass.	Meredith Ann Woods	F	L	W	Edward Woods, Jr.	Rapheal Fosillo
June 24	York, Maine	Rodney Ernest Kimball	M	L	W	Frank M. Kimball	Myra Kimball
June 28	Dover, N. H.	Geoffrey George Stone	M	L	W	George Stone, Jr.	Helen George
July 14	Exeter, N. H.	Karen Gail Goodwin	F	L	W	Carl J. Goodwin	Virginia Moore
Aug. 2	Portsmouth, N. H.	Cheryl Elaine Conant	F	L	W	Robert M. Conant	Elaine C. Keesee
Aug. 2	Exeter, N. H.	Verna Jean Rawson	F	L	W	Verne E. Rawson, Jr.	Irene Davey
Aug. 24	Exeter, N. H.	Lee Alan Ramsdell	F	L	W	Richard Ramsdell	Anita Wentworth
Aug. 31	Exeter, N. H.	Keith Lee Rowe	M	L	W	Christopher T. Rowe, Sr.	Joyce Barker
Oct. 1	Exeter, N. H.	Roger M. Carbonneau	M	L	W	Calvin G. Carbonneau	Geraldine Gouin
Oct. 24	Portsmouth, N. H.	Michael David Roberts	M	L	W	Randoloh Roberts	Shirley R. Norman
Nov. 20	Kittery, Maine	John Paul Monahan	M	L	W	Raymond P. Monahan	Sigrid Hoffmann
Nov. 30	Portsmouth, N. H.	Linda Ann Freeman	F	L	W	Roger C. Freeman	Gail J. Davidson
Dec. 4	Exeter, N. H.	Donna Gale French	F	L	W	Donald A. French	Elizabeth A. Chick
Dec. 8	Exeter, N. H.	Melodie Carol Roberts	F	L	W	William H. Roberts	Roberta Prescott
Dec. 8	Exeter, N. H.	Michael Charles Roberts	M	L	W	William H. Roberts	Roberta Prescott
Dec. 8	Exeter, N. H.	Paul Preston Bragg, Jr.	M	L	W	Paul Preston Bragg, Sr.	Patricia M. Donovan
Dec. 13	Portsmouth, N. H.	Peter Jeffrey Ritchie	M	L	W	Herbert E. Ritchie	Eleanor Markey
Dec. 16	Exeter, N. H.	Thomas Stead McAllister	M	L	W	Paul J. McAllister	Carol A. Goddard
Dec. 26	Exeter, N. H.	Nancy Ann Desjardins	F	L	W	Albert E. Desjardins	Ann M. Loring
Dec. 31	Exeter, N. H.	Gary Robert Grant	M	L	W	Kenneth A. Grant	Eleanor Dickinson

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHAM FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1960

Date 1960	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age in Years	Birthplace	Names of Parents	Names, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 9	John Parker, Jr. Judith Anne Colwell	27 21	Hanover, N. H. Exeter, N. H.	John Parker Virginia Musk William Colwell Isabel Hobbs	Rev. William McInnes Minister Hampton, N. H.
Jan. 10	Jeffrey Norman Olson Judith Ann McGuinness	22 18	Lynn, Mass. Lynn, Mass.	Robert Olson Gertrude Wellender James L. McGuinness Mary Donnelly	Eugene Courtemanche Justice of the Peace Stratham, N. H.
Jan. 23	Donald Arthur French Elizabeth Arla Chick	31 24	Exeter, N. H. Portsmouth, N. H.	John O. French Annie O'Brien Fred C. Chick Mildred Tate	Marian T. Brewster Justice of the Peace Stratham, N. H.
Jan. 30	John Calvin Wiggin Sonja J. Kolomitsky	21 20	York, Maine Amesbury, Mass.	Forrest Wiggin Josephine Everett Stanley Kolomitsky Jane Grena	Rev. Arthur Dunham Minister Stratham, N. H.
April 16	Francis Edward McDonald Beverly Ann Doiron	21 18	Boston, Mass. Boston, Mass.	Joseph McDonald Catherine Manning Frank Doiron Mary McGinn	Marian T. Brewster Justice of the Peace Stratham, N. H.
Aug. 20	Carleton Eldredge Faith Donaldson Cail	31 31	Exeter, N. H. St. Albans, Vt.	Lester Eldredge Mildred Adams Ambrose Donaldson Faith Sanborn	Rev. Everett Scruton Minister Hampton Falls

Aug. 27	Gerard Arthur James Marie Elizabeth Jacques	18 17	Exeter, N. H. Brentwood, N. H.	Nolan James Doris Ball Joseph Jacques Muriel T. Robbins Victor Little Mildred Almstedt Walter Pease Elaine Down Robert J. Ross Virginia Parsons Raymond Gustafson Ethel Anderson Francis H. Caron Lena Creasia James N. Thurber Eva Yorkell Verne Rawson Florence Wentworth Oscar Page, Jr. Theresa Yergeau Howard L. Eberts Frances Schuchardt Robert Young Ruth Connor Kevin King Madeline Walsh Daniel Davis Annie Shaw Henry Cote Helen Lunderville Gladstone Bacon Susie Wheeler	Marian T. Brewster Justice of the Peace Stratham, N. H. Rev. Roswell Moore Priest Exeter, N. H. Rev. Charles Parker Minister Stratham, N. H. Marian T. Brewster Justice of the Peace Stratham, N. H. Rev. Wendell Irvine Minister Newton, N. H. Rev. Arthur Dunham Minister Stratham, N. H. Rev. Arthur J. Kelliher Roman Catholic Priest Exeter, N. H. Gladys Smith Justice of the Peace Newfields, N. H.
Sept. 10	Glenn Victor Little Prudence Ann Pease	21 20	Los Angeles, Calif. Port Washington, New York		
Sept. 16	Thomas Robert Ross Carolyn Anne Gustafson	21 18	Lynn, Mass. Lynn, Mass.		
Oct. 8	John Francis Caron Doris Ora Thurber	20 18	Milford, Mass. Uxbridge, Mass.		
Oct. 31	Francis Earl Rawson Theresa Rolande Page	25 17	Stratham, N. H. Brentwood, N. H.		
Nov. 5	Howard L. Eberts, Jr. Dorothy Jean Young	19 18	Brooklyn, N. Y. Exeter, N. H.		
Nov. 5	Kevin Michael King, Jr. Sandra Lee Davis	21 19	Manchester, N. H. Rochester, N. H.		
Nov. 19	Gilbert Joseph Cote Evelyn Lillian Scamman	30 40	Dover, N. H. Pittsburgh, N. H.		

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STRATHAM, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1960

Date of Death 1960	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Sex	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Feb. 3	Elmer Roby Wiggin	55	M	North Hampton, N. H.	Fred B. Wiggin	Alice Roby
Mar. 18	Henry Laine	62	M	Finland	Unknown	Unknown
April 16	John Cramm Chapman	63	M	Stratham, N. H.	Asa Chapman	Martha Chase
April 26	Hugh J. O'Hear, Sr.	67	M	Enfield, Conn.	John F. O'Hear	Julia Levereieux
June 13	Henry T. Goss	82	M	Ox Bow, Maine	Thomas Goss	Margaret Winchell
July 19	Irene Sawyer	44	F	Stratham, N. H.	John French	Annie O'Brien
Aug. 13	George Elbridge Jewell	48	M	North Conway, N. H.	Ralph Jewell	Sarah J. Leighton
Sept. 1	Baby Scamman	—	M	Exeter, N. H.	Ralph Scamman	Joan Hook
Sept. 2	George Arthur Gowen	75	M	Stratham, N. H.	George E. Gowen	Mary Smith
Sept. 12	James E. Breslin, Jr.	53	M	Boston, Mass.	James Breslin, Sr.	Mary McGinnis
Oct. 2	Sidney Williams	82	M	Bradford, Vt.	Harvey Williams	Martha ————
Oct. 8	Arthur Herbert Jewell	80	M	Stratham, N. H.	Elbridge Jewell	Josephine Wiggin
Nov. 7	George Albert Tuck	88	M	Stratham, N. H.	George H. Tuck	Sophia Wallace
Nov. 25	Robert Charles Metcalfe	18	M	Exeter, N. H.	Edward Metcalfe	Ethel Call
Dec. 27	Nellie B. LeRoy	82	F	Ontario, Canada	William Baker	Unknown